



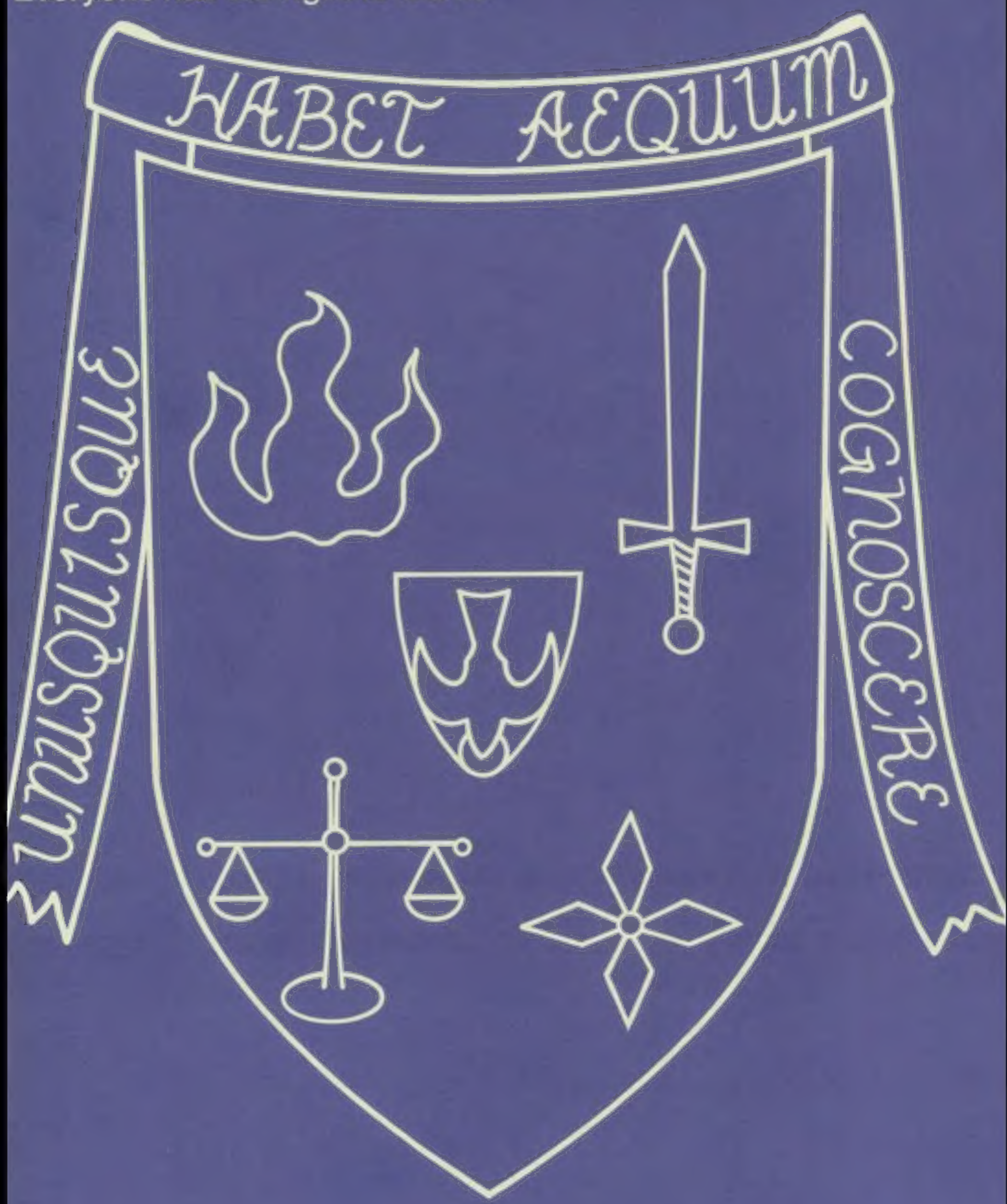
VEREDUS 1981







Everyone has the right to learn.







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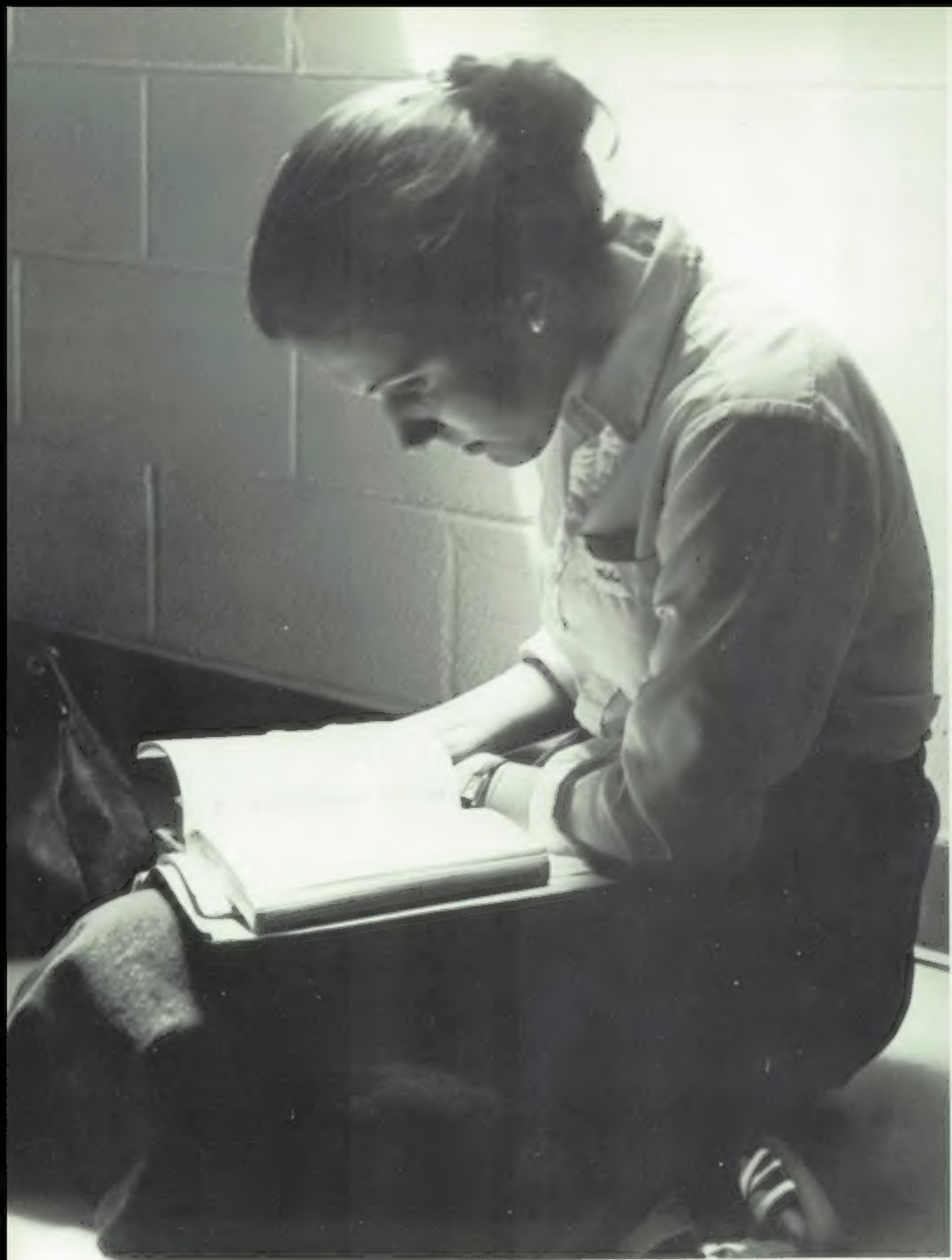
## The Briarwood School

12207 Whittington

Houston, Texas

Volume IV









# MIDDLE-UPPER SCHOOL 1980-81



Classroom Setting: David Clark,  
David Ashton, Adam Rossen, Chip  
Galloway.  
Robert King explains a science  
project.  
Student Council session.

# Senior Class



Larry Brand



Cathleen Coogan



Paul Dorn



Pat Dunn



David Endlsey



Allison Kirby



Paul Lasater





Scott Phillips



Brian Price



Taylor Russo



Becky Self



Leon Tindel



Judi Zastrow

of '81



# Junior Class



David Ashton



Peter Berkowitz



Matt Burns  
Jeff Byrnes  
David Clark  
Bass Doughty



Chip Galloway  
Sarah Lawley  
Mike McClure  
John Overly



Adam Rossen  
Cindy Sengel  
Steve Tardy







Upper Arrow  
 Scott Behrens  
 Mike Bissonel  
 Kim Buckner  
 Carol Ann Carmichael



Tony DeGeorge  
 Doug Eldridge  
 Leila Fisher  
 Mark Henderson  
 Tim McCrory



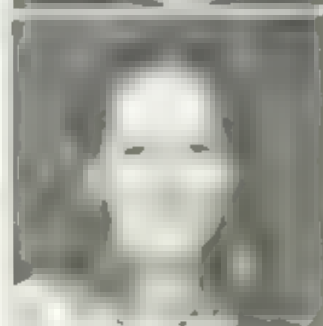
Mike Medley  
 Jennifer Melford  
 Todd M kosh  
 Michelle Monday  
 Ed Neison



Paul Robison



Lloyd Skaggs



Nancy Watson



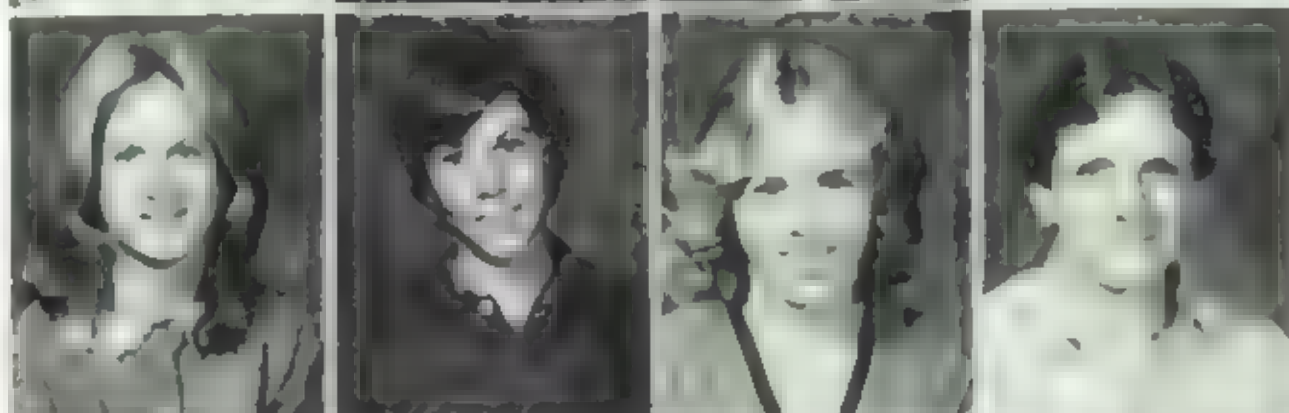


# F r e s h m e n

Catherine Andrews  
Mike Andrews  
Jeff Armstrong  
Rex Campbell



Dayna Cucci  
Greg Hartsock  
Julie Hendrix  
Gavin Hooster



Kevin Kellaway  
John Kendrick  
Blake McLendon  
Dane Marx



Madison Powell  
Suzanne Smith  
Tracey Smith  
Dean Stansky



Scott Stanley  
Kevin Stromatt  
Anne Thomas  
Greg Thompson



Russell Winston  
Misty Winger  
Mike Zander





# E i g h t h G r a d e



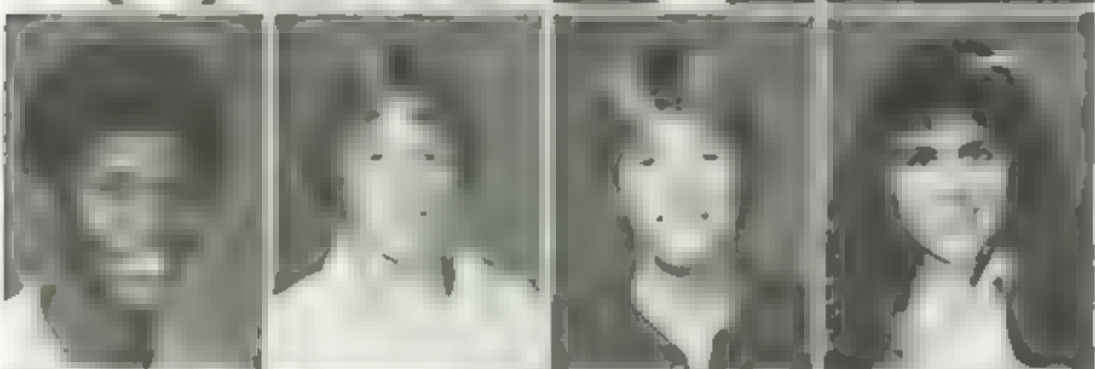
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Alan Bass  
Nick Bishop  
Walter Bruce



Billy Dillard  
Bart Duncan  
Paula Golemi  
Philip Grant



Tim Hinds  
Scott Hooper  
Howard Hunt  
Bobby Ison



Greg Jackson  
Stephen Keasier  
Chris LeBlanc  
Anna Lucci



Cathy Macy  
Mike Maule  
Mandy Melton  
Paul Pressler



Michele Stapp  
Danny Stokes  
Jonathan Thomas  
Victoria Waller



Marcy Weingarten



# Seventh Grade

Robert Armstrong  
Tres Brown  
Mark Butler  
John Hershner



Leah Linn  
Jackie  
Lynette



Joan Lohmeyer  
Amberly  
Wade Knight



Myk Mize  
David Miller  
Frank C. Nor  
Stacey Schuster



Suzanne Skipton  
David Steedhammer  
John Stephens  
Nick Tamborelli



Bryan Thomas  
Chris V. Pa  
Mike Willis  
Sean Young





## Urban Cowboys

Cowboy hats and boots on Tuesdays and even at the Marathon

Upper Left Kevin Stromatt

Upper Right Pat Dunn

Center Jack Cox

Left, Carol Carmichael, Anna Lucci, and Steve Keasler in jogging pants and cowboy hat





# A Day At Briarwood



Lower School Art Room



Merry Christmas



Photography Class



My Hairwork



Hale Styles

# Science Projects



John Stephens displays a cat skeleton for extra credit. It came from his yard — his mother's ex cat YoYo.



Dean Stalinsky presents his project to the ninth grade class demonstrating sound produced from vibrations.





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ALICE WITH

## Briarwood Scenes



TRUCK WITH





# STUDENT COUNCIL



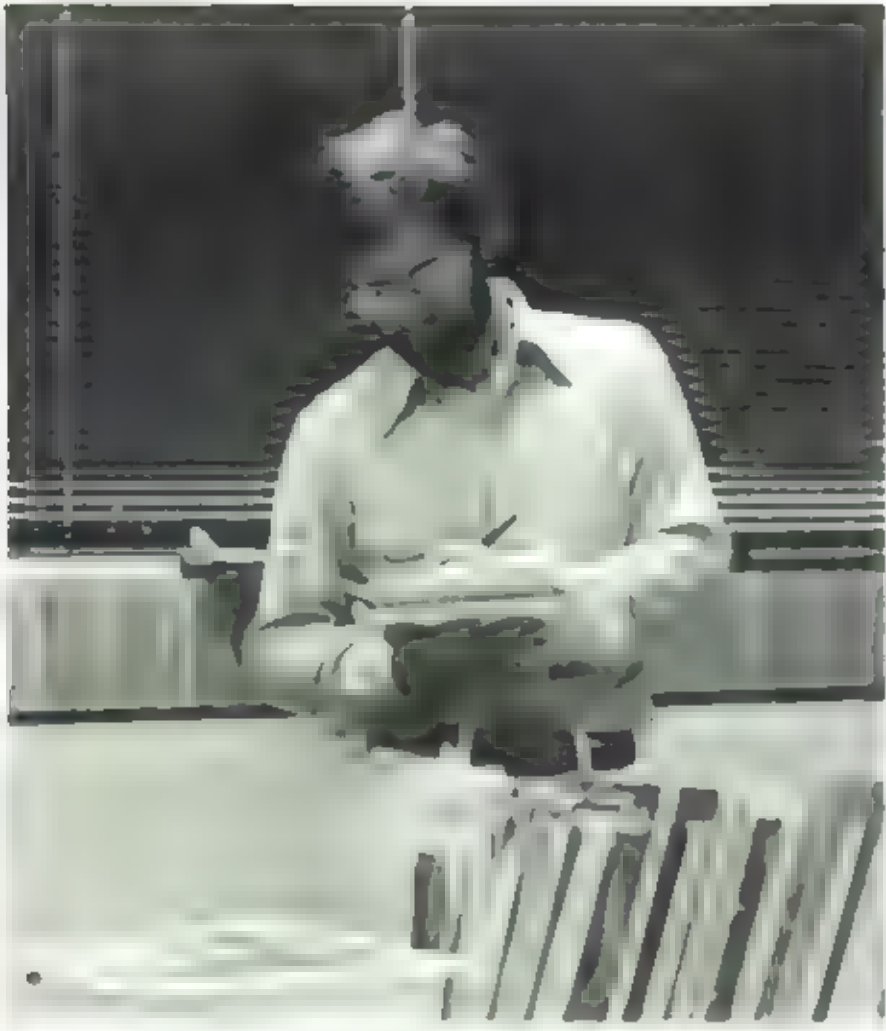
## BOARD OF DIRECTORS'



## BREAKFAST







this was the year  
that



Gulliver sailed the seas  
the elves nearly forgot Mrs. Santa's gift  
Christmas almost didn't come,  
Dorothy went to Oz,  
a Valentine tree grew  
the Emperor ordered new clothes,  
the king and queen refused to speak  
and  
Professor Harold Hill came to town!



throughout the  
year

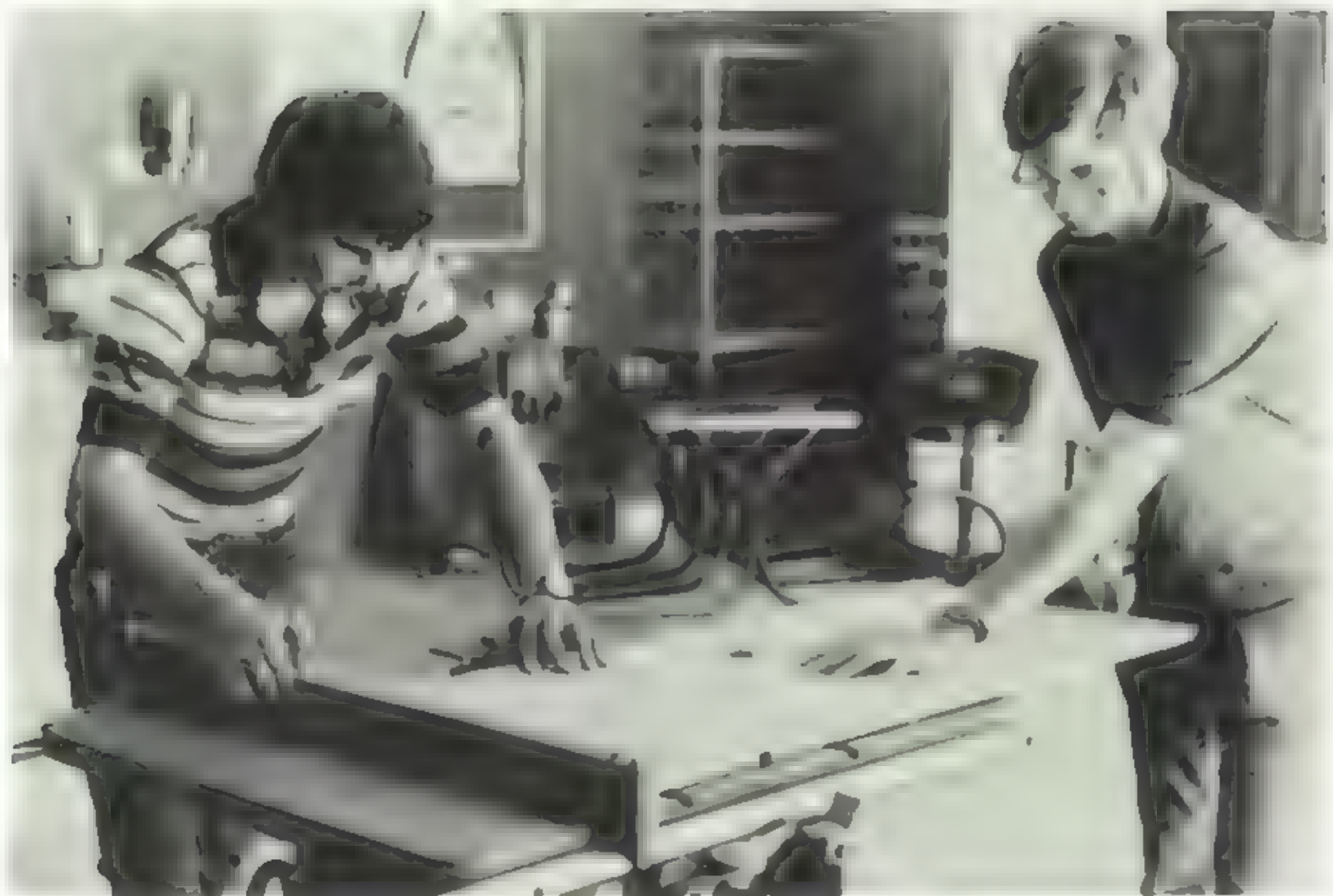
Drama  
'80-81





Mr. Tyler and David Endsley

# SHOP



Above Brian Price and Larry Brand  
 Left Doug Edrington  
 Right Joseph Derouselle and Tommy Jared







# “Long Live Christmas”

a presentation  
of  
Mrs. Root's Class



## Cast

King — Mike Smith  
Chancellor — Chris Smith  
Spirit — Courtney Knapik  
Grandfather — David Brooks  
Peter — Jeff Young  
Lisa — Sharon Kerr  
Lorenz — Andrew Norwood  
Mr. Jackson — Richard Hiens  
Mr. Humbolt — John Lucc





Rehearsal for  
talent show

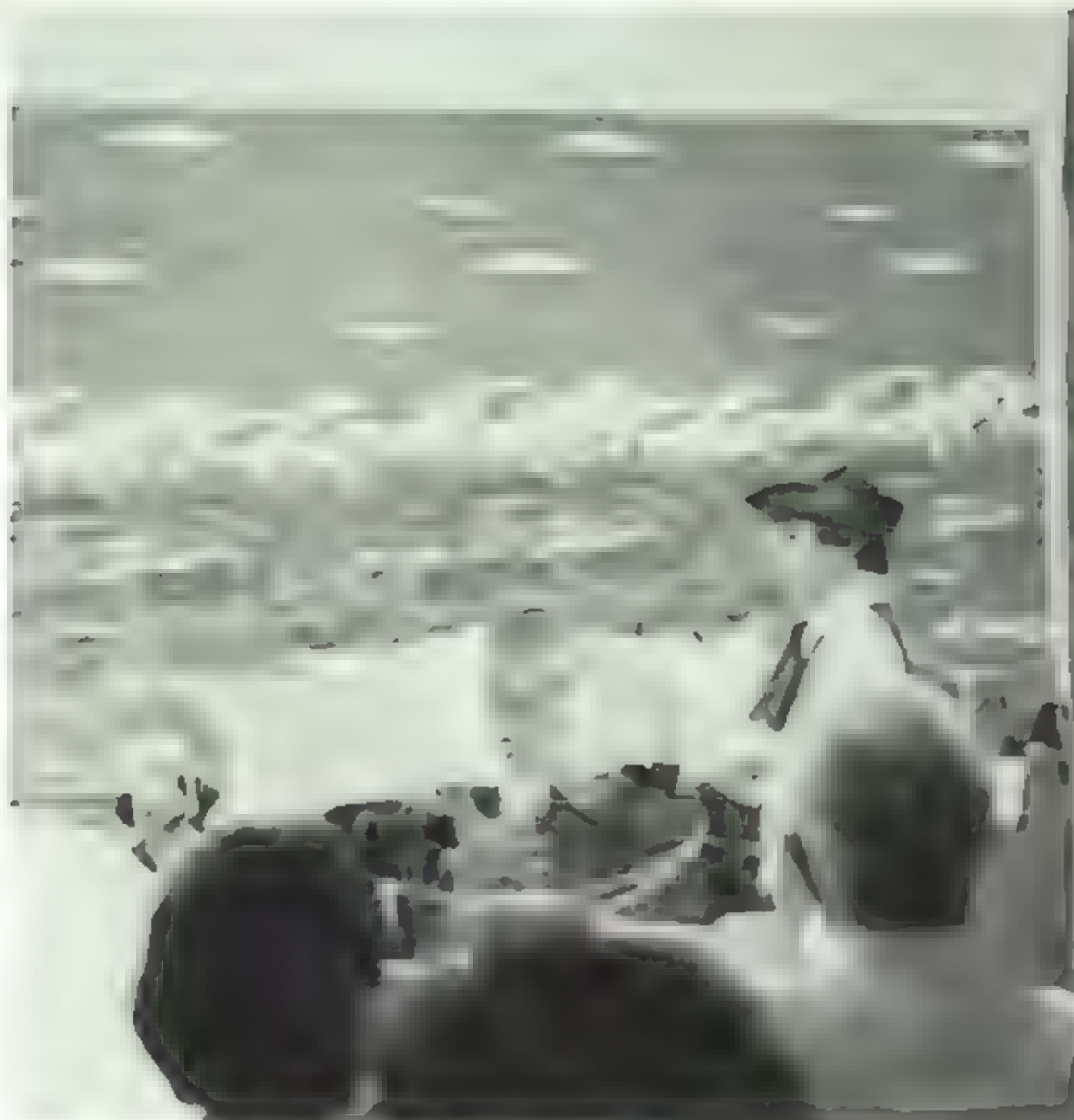
"Gulliver



American history comes alive!

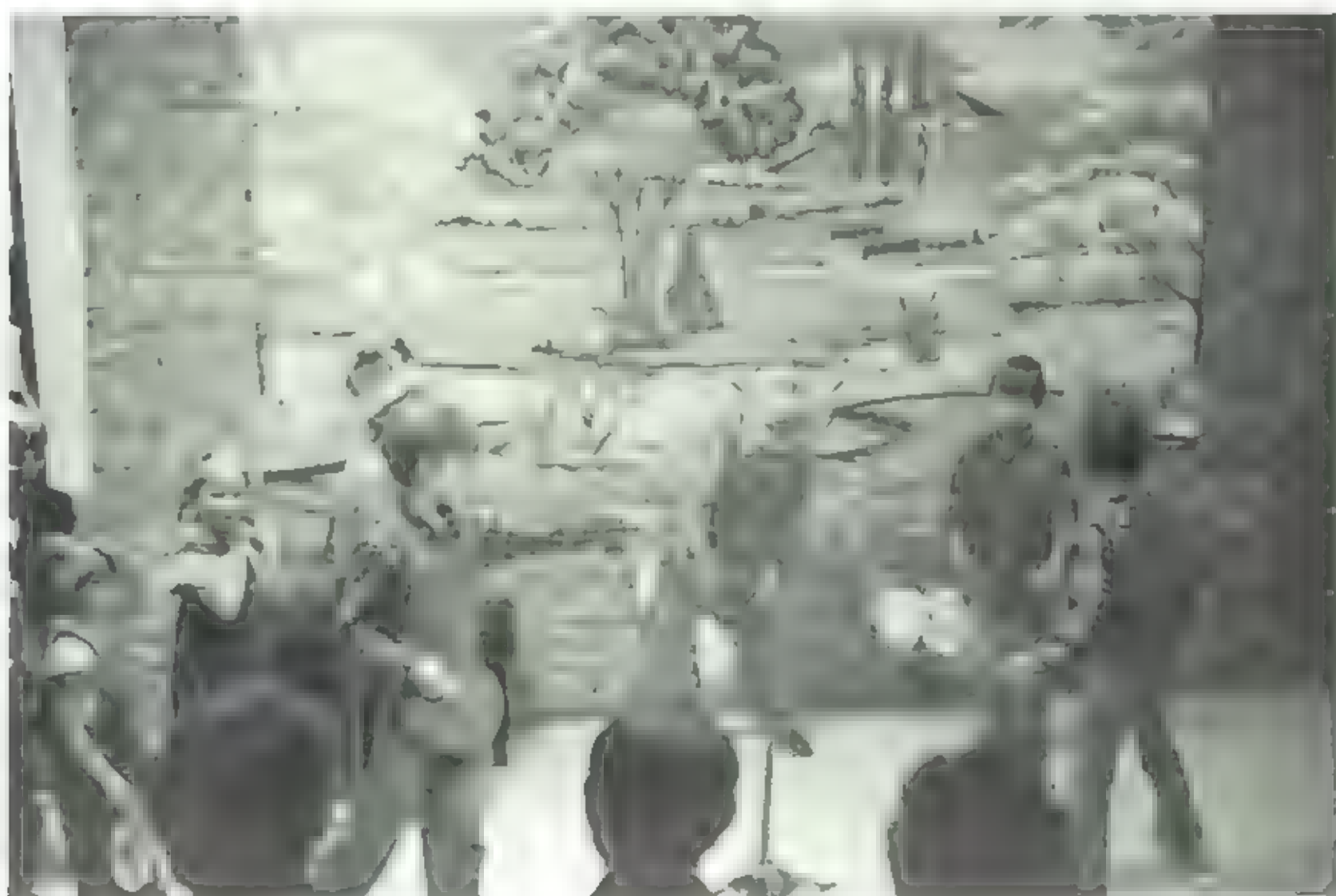






Gulliver and the Lilliputian ships

Valentines on the Princess' special tree





getting ready

on stage



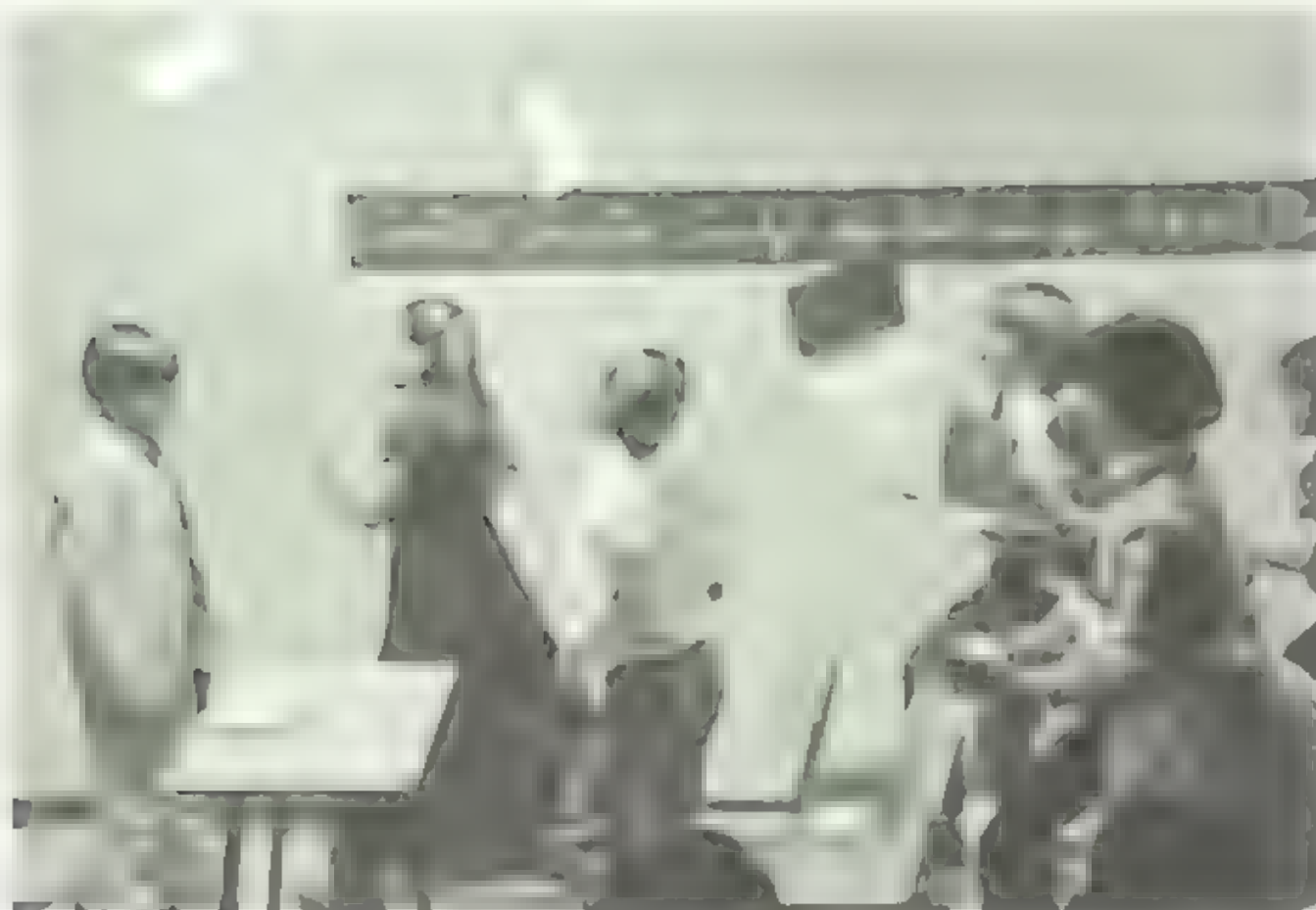




A scene from "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" as performed by the New York City School of Music and Art, 1910.



on stage  
Halloween Chills  
"The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"



Ichabod Crane dismisses school the afternoon before the big party!  
Mrs. Feigin's Class

## "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"



Mrs. Carreker's class with the Lilliputians in the finale from 'Gulliver'





Above and left: Roger W. ... in the ...  
 ... for the ...  
 ... May 1, 1981

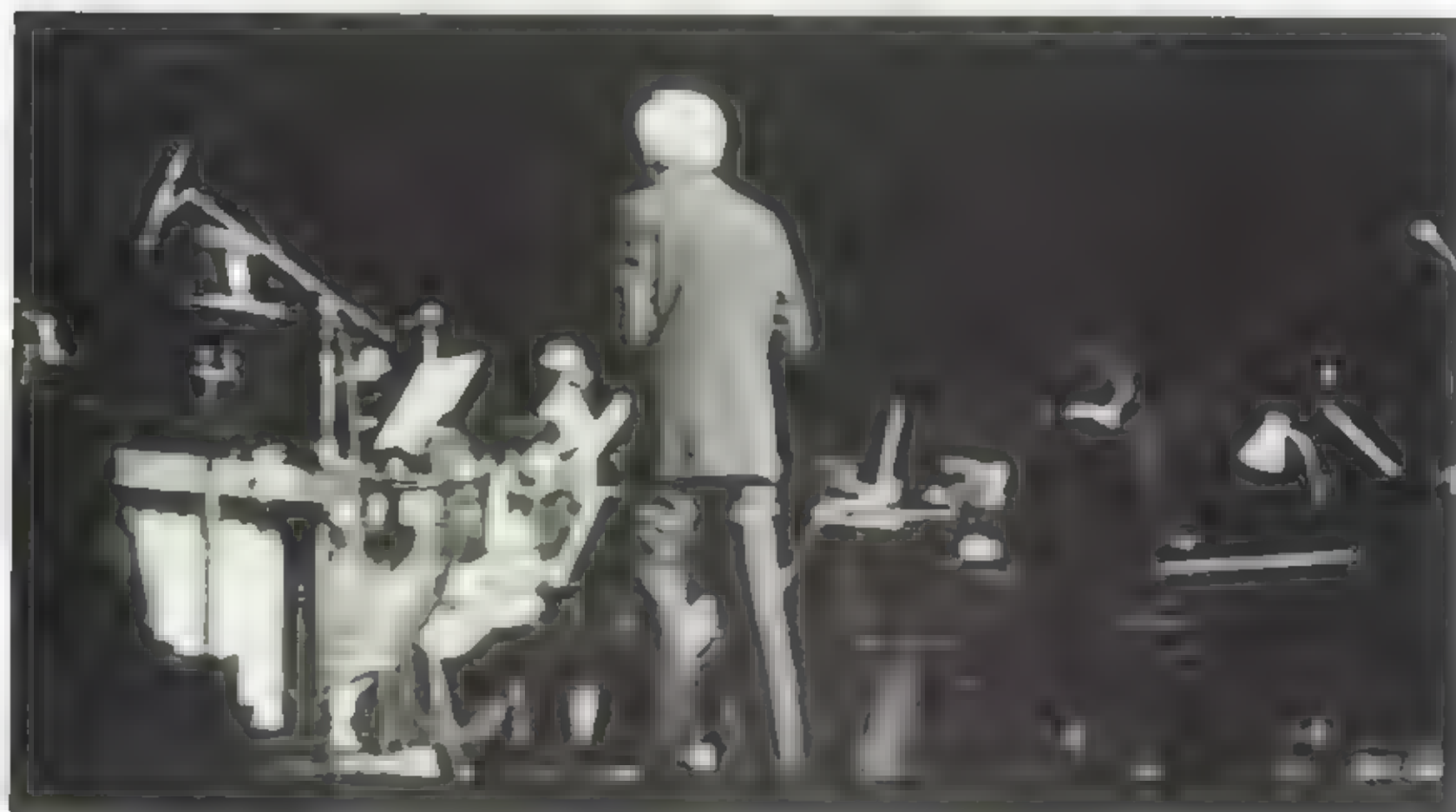
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IN CONCERT





# Wizard of Oz

(Beginning Drama)



## Cast

Dorothy — Cathleen Coogan  
Tin Man — Rex Campbell  
Lion — Dan Curtis  
Scarecrow — Mike Willis  
Wizard — Jack Cox  
Wicked Witch — Barbara Lasater  
Good Witch — Diane Marx  
Munchkins  
Tres Brown, Mark Butler,  
Madison Powell, Bryan Thome  
Uncle Henry — Michael Zander





## SPORTS

# Girls' Volleyball Team



Back Manager Nancy Watson Tracey Smith Jennifer Mafford Leah Fisher Elaine Marx Coach Nancy  
Bulizszewski  
Front Catherine Logan Carroll Armichael Kelle Martinez Allison Kirby  
Not Pictured Michele Monday Manager

# Girl's Track

## Division II



Back Stacey Schafer, Suzanne  
Skipton, Amanda Fly  
Front Courtney Knapik, Sharon  
Kerr

## Division I



Back Mandy Melton, Victoria  
Waller, Julie Hendrex  
Front Anna Lucci, Diane Marx  
Catherine Andrews



# Beginning Soccer



Back Coach, Susan Paulas, Ross Brandon, Kristen Rubenstein, John Datson, Julie Pearce, Curt King, Andrew Smith, Dirk Dicke, John Reed, Karl Rudolph, Mary Sell, Patrick Wylie, Coach, Lisa Levi  
Middle, Stacy Talar, Amanda Whitford, Jennifer Vastis, Jeff Garwood, David Hrubegger, Michael Winston, Carl Schindewolf, Trey White  
Front, Amy Whitford, Hunter Kencel, Ryan, Jimmy, Jr., Ramon Zubizarreta, Scott Anderson, Jason Hebert, David Ince, James High, J. P. Clooney, Adam Smith

# Varsity Soccer



Back: Danny Stokes, Greg Jackson, Nick Bishop, Philip Grant, Tres Brown, Mike Miller, Steve Kessler, Kevin Stromatt.  
 Front: Sean Young, Lloyd Skaggs, David Brooks, Kyle von Eitz, Mike Willis, Matt Adams, Madison Powell, Bryan Thome, Greg Hartsock.  
 Coaches: Tommy Jared, Stobi Whitmore (not pictured)

# Varsity Basketball



Standing: Coach Wayne Jones, Mark Henderson, David Endsley, Gary Horn, David Ashton, Steve Ashton, Mike McVure, Carl Stobie, Whitmore.  
Kneeling: Doug Edridge, Brian Price, Kevin Stromatt, Pat Dunn, Peter Berkowitz, Tim M. Croy.





Upper Left Kevin Stromatt  
Upper Right Pat Dunn  
Center Peter Berkowitz Steve  
Aucoin Brian Price  
Bottom Varsity vs Faculty —  
Mrs B shoots in spite of  
Stromatt and Aucoin



# Junior Varsity Basketball

## "A" Team



Back Coach Tyler, Blake McLendon, Philip Grant, John Kendrick, Mike Zander, Scott Hooper  
Front Walter Bruce, Kevin Stromatt, Madison Powell, Steve Keasler, Greg Jackson, Mike Maule

### Team:

Blake McLendon

Scott Hooper

Stephen Keasler

Philip Grant

Walter Bruce

Greg Jackson

John Kendrick

Kevin Stromatt

Mike Maule

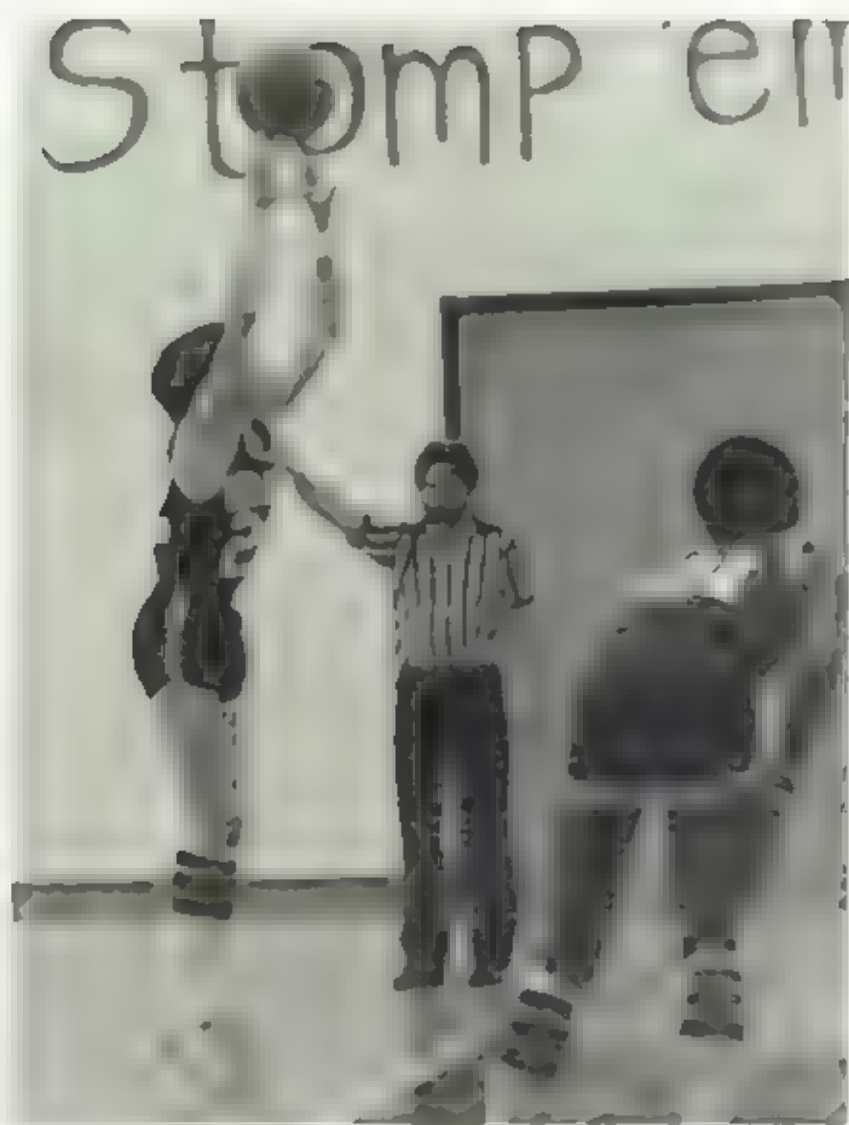
Mike Zander

Madison Powell

Coach: Earl Tyler

**“A”**

**Junior Varsity  
Basketball**



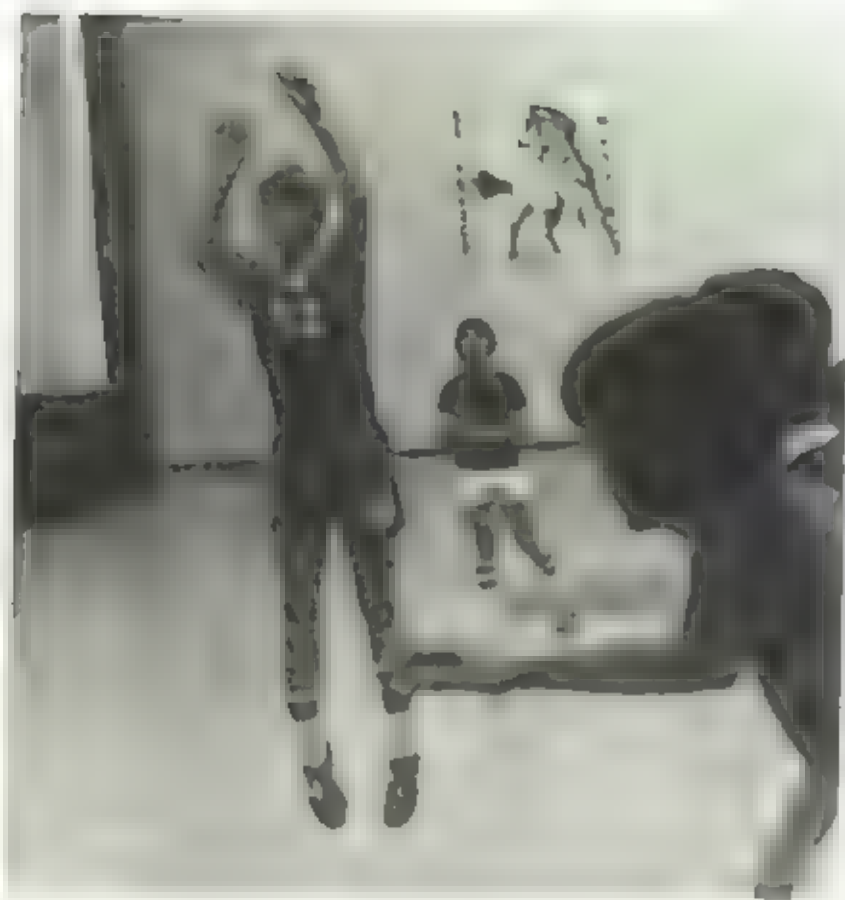
**Junior Varsity  
Hard at Work**



# “B” Junior Varsity



Standing: Danny Stokes, John Stephens, Rex Temple, Jim Livingston, Tim Hinds, Jack Cox, Chad Bell, Butler.  
Kneeling: John Cheesman, Sean Young, Mark Maule, Mike Williams, Mark Butler, Dan Curtis, Tres Brown, Jonathan Thomas.



# “B” Junior Varsity in Action



# Boy's Track

## Division I



Back Row: [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
Front: Kevin Stromatt Steve Keasler Chris LeBlanc Nick Bishop Danny Stokes Greg Thompson



# Varsity Track



Coach Stobie Whitmore  
Back Brian Price Steve Aucoin Pat Dunn  
Front Doug Eldridge Lloyd Skaggs David Ashton Peter Berkowitz Ed Nelson



Catherine Andrews — Long Jump



John Lucci  
Running to Win

Kevin Kellaway — 4x100 Relay



Danny Stokes and Greg Jackson — 1600 Meter  
Run



Victoria Weaver takes 2nd place with 23.1 in  
Girls Short Furl



## Briarwood's Third Annual Invitational Track Meet

Jackson and Grant move ahead of 11 Awty  
runner to take 2nd and 3rd place in the 1,200  
Meter Run





# Special Girl's Basketball



Coach: Mr. Whitmore  
 Back Row: [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name]  
 Front Row: [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name]  
 Front Manager: [Name]

# Olympics

## Senior Boy's Basketball



Coach: R. H. Myers

Manager: R. H. Myers

Front Row: R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers

Back Row: R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers, R. H. Myers

# Special Olympics

## Junior Boy's Basketball



## Track Team







# The Emperor's New Clothes

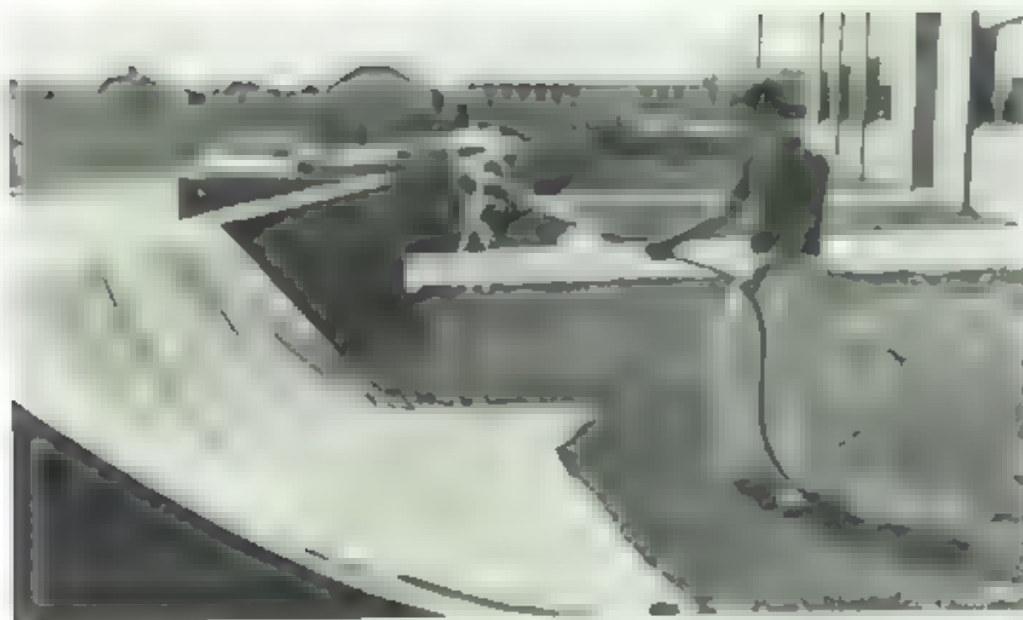


Smorgasbord

# The Music Man Begins



Costume Prep  
Tracey Smith



Backdrop Prep  
Paul Lasater



Mrs. Clanton and John Overly go over  
last minute notes and lines

# Boy's Track

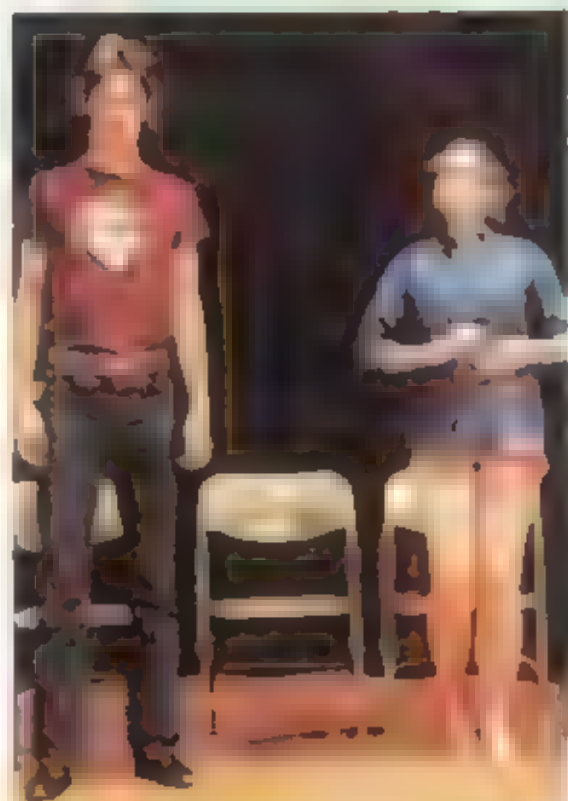
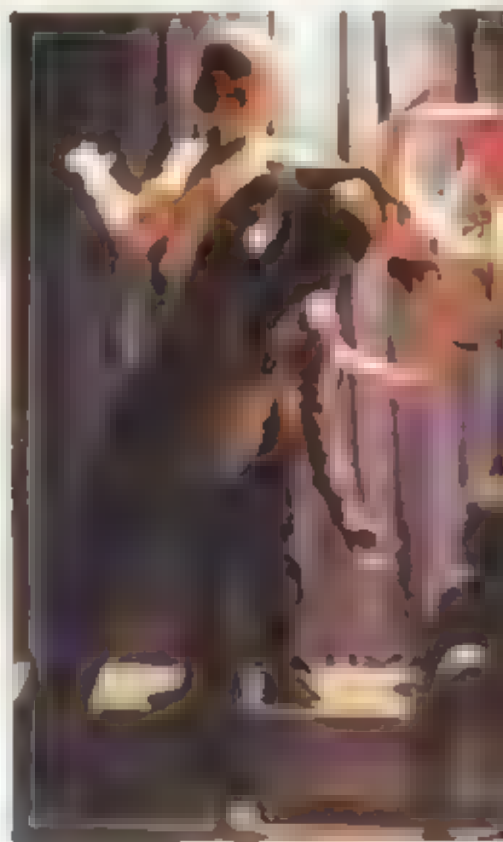
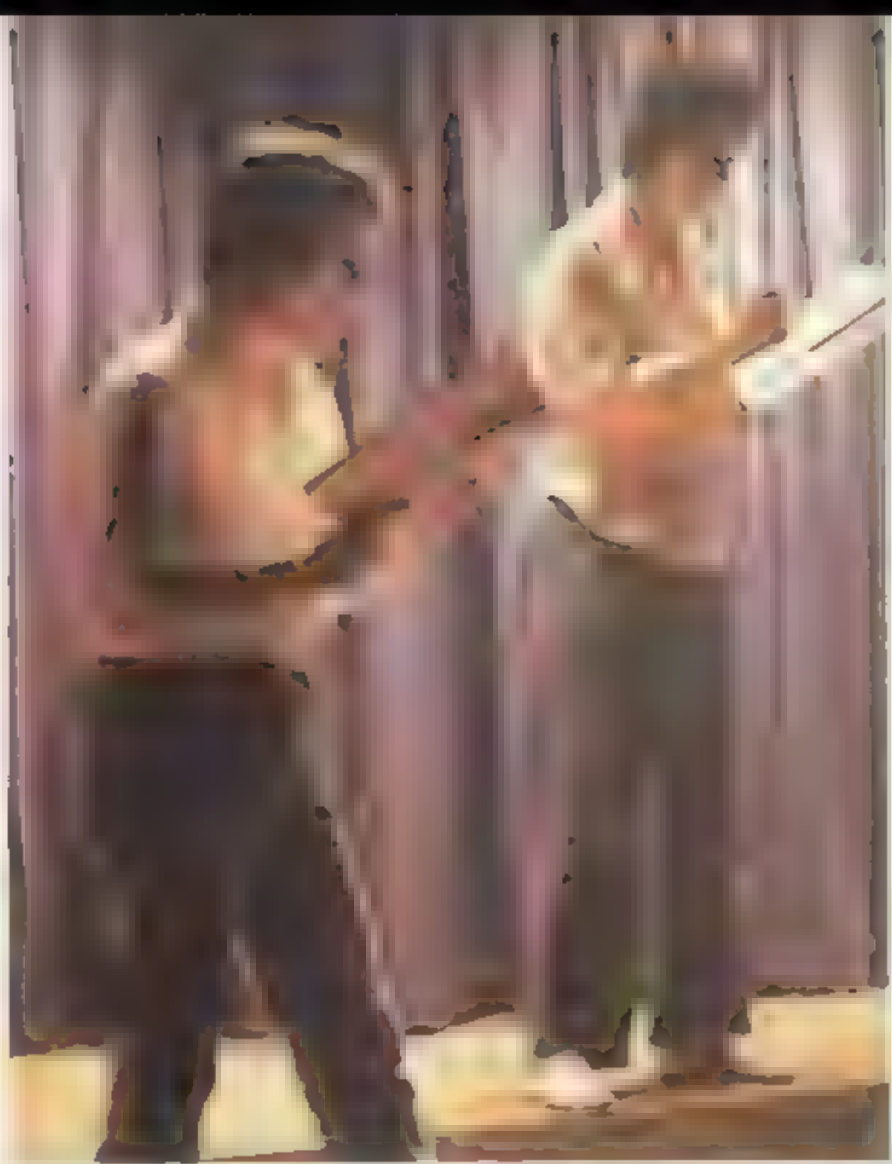
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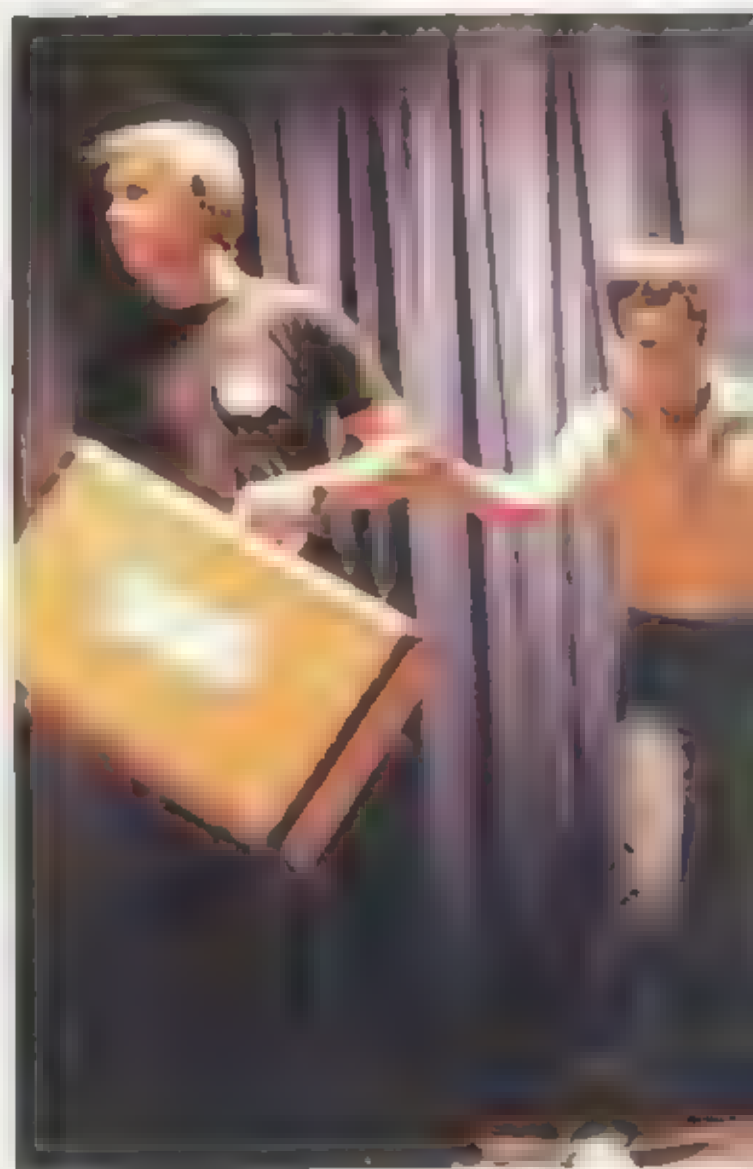
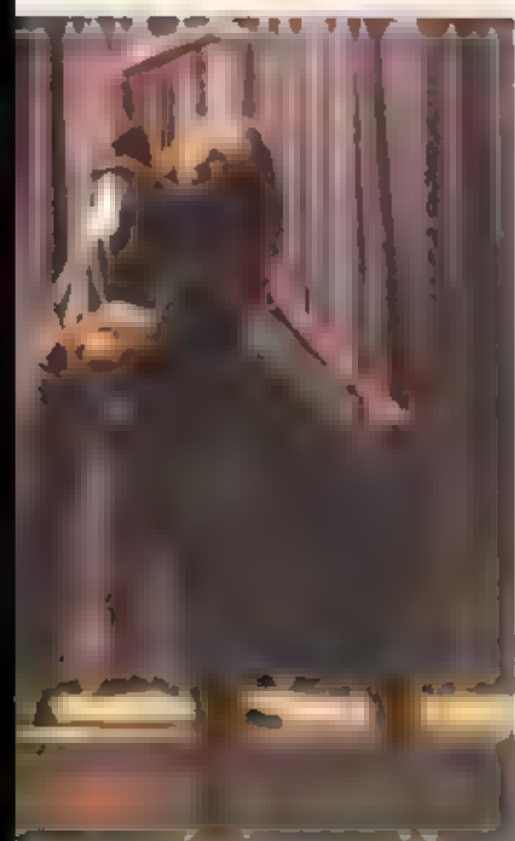
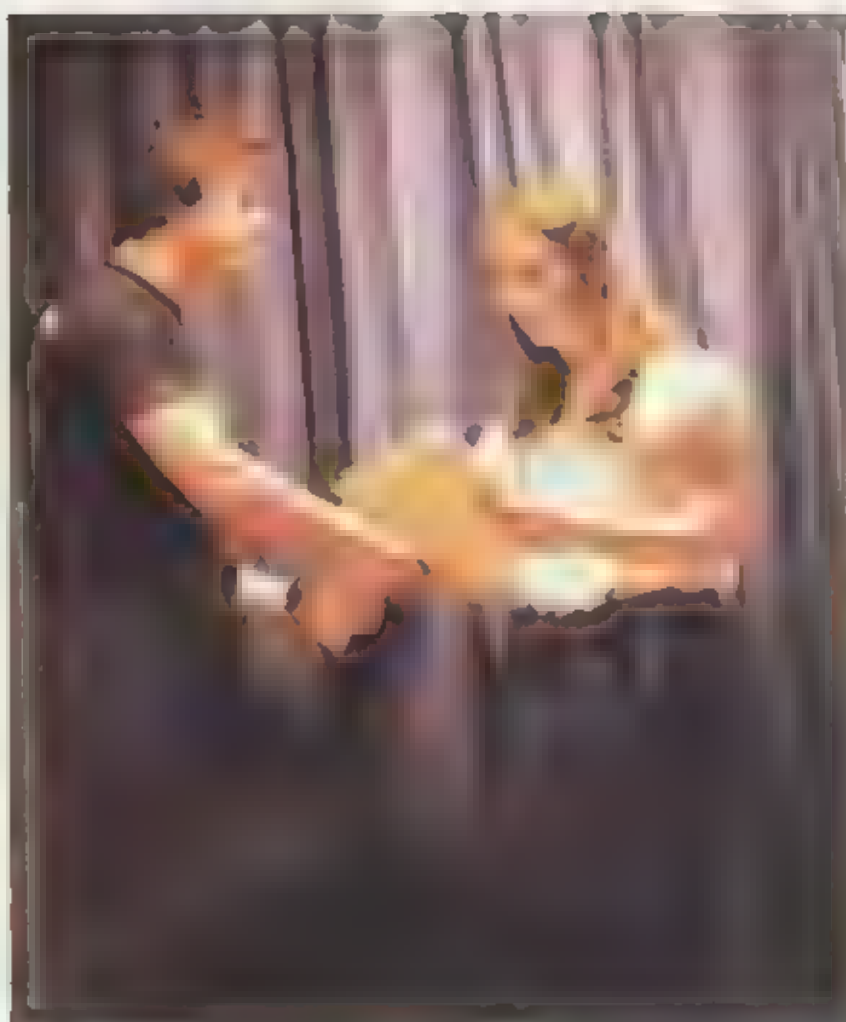


Back John Lucci, Tres Brown, Mark Maule, Bryan Thome, Sean Young  
Front David Brooks, Richard Hiers, Andrew Norwood, Mike Willis

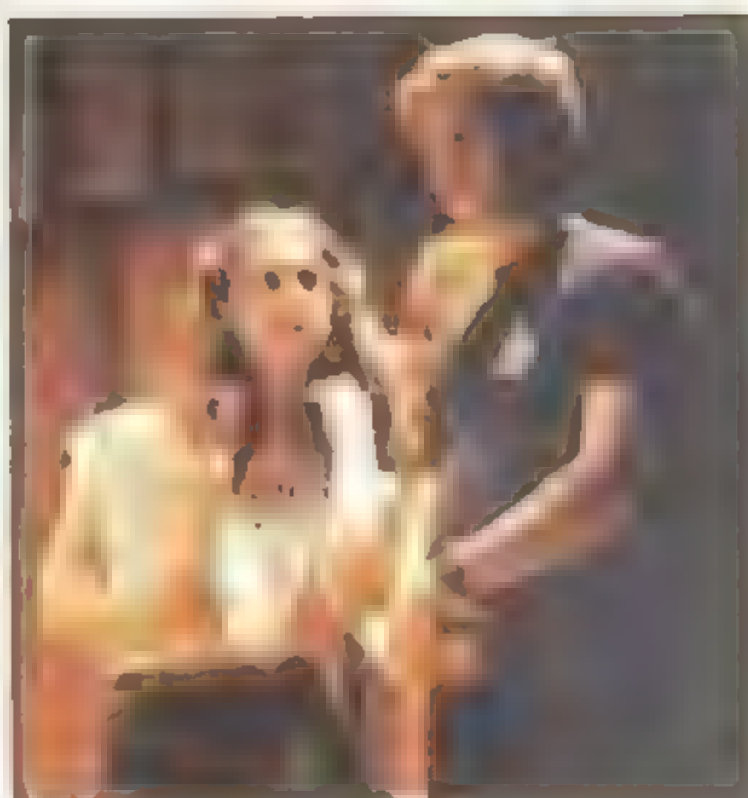


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The



Man

Music



Drugstore Cowboy

Below Teacher's Pet





# Veredus '81 Staff



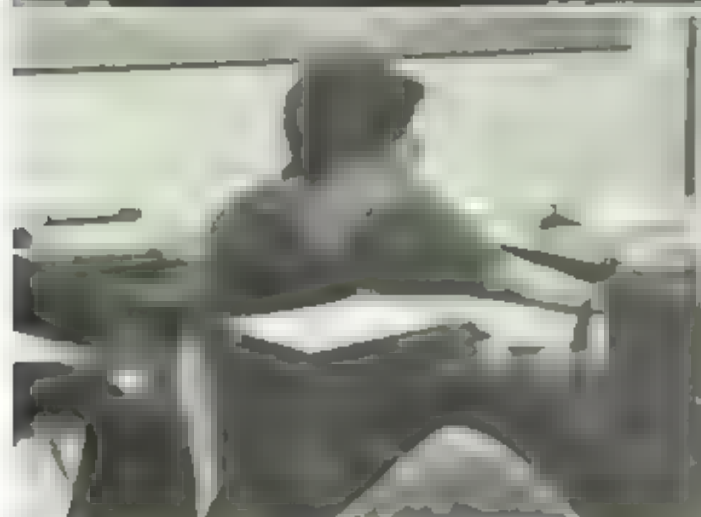
Cathleen  
Coogan, Layout



Allison Kirby,  
Senior Managing  
Editor



Paul Dorn  
Business



Top Left Bass Doughty, Manager  
Top Center Kevin Stromatt, Photographer  
Top Right David Ashton, Photographer  
Lower Left Kevin Kellaway, Photographer  
Lower Right Doug Eldridge, Photographer

Opposite Page Mike Andrews, Chief Photographer, and our mascot "The Attack Rabbit"  
No pictures Blake McLendon, Photographer, Robert King, Manager

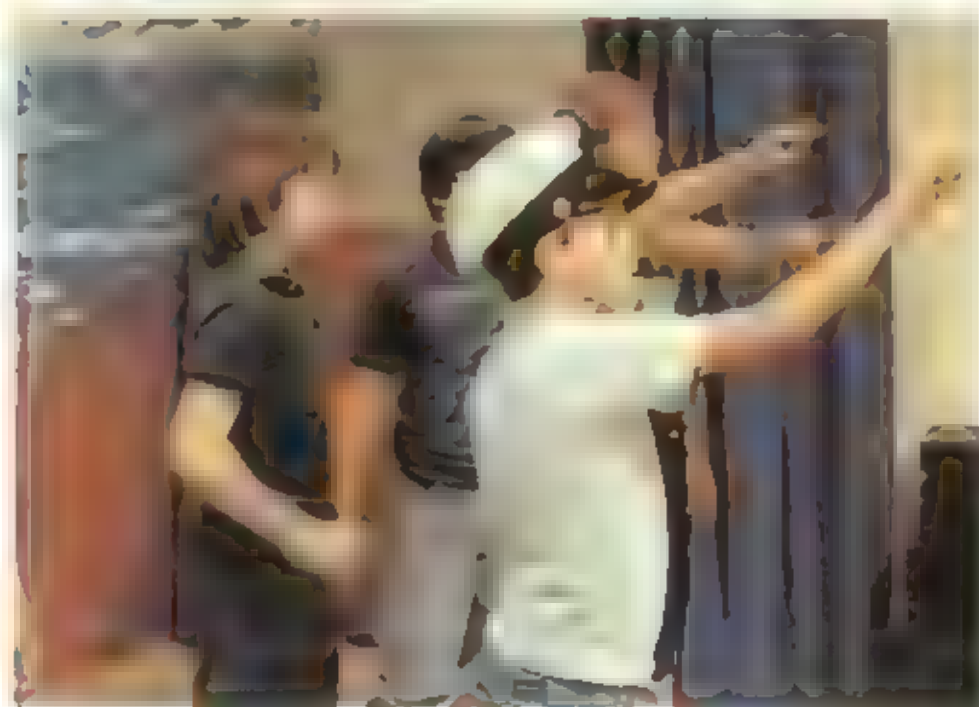
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Grace Mayne Photography Brian Price and Mrs. Mary Frie sports pictures Mrs. Carl Whitmore sports pictures Mark Lunn  
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Sponsor and proofreader

June Gillman  
Renaë Christianson, photography

Mrs. Ramsey's  
Drama Classes  
Present



# GULLIVER



and

## The King Who Would Not Speak

## BENCH WARMER

The life of a bench warmer, we are so weak,  
And must remain forever meek

We watch the game from our seats  
Two and a half minutes is all we seek

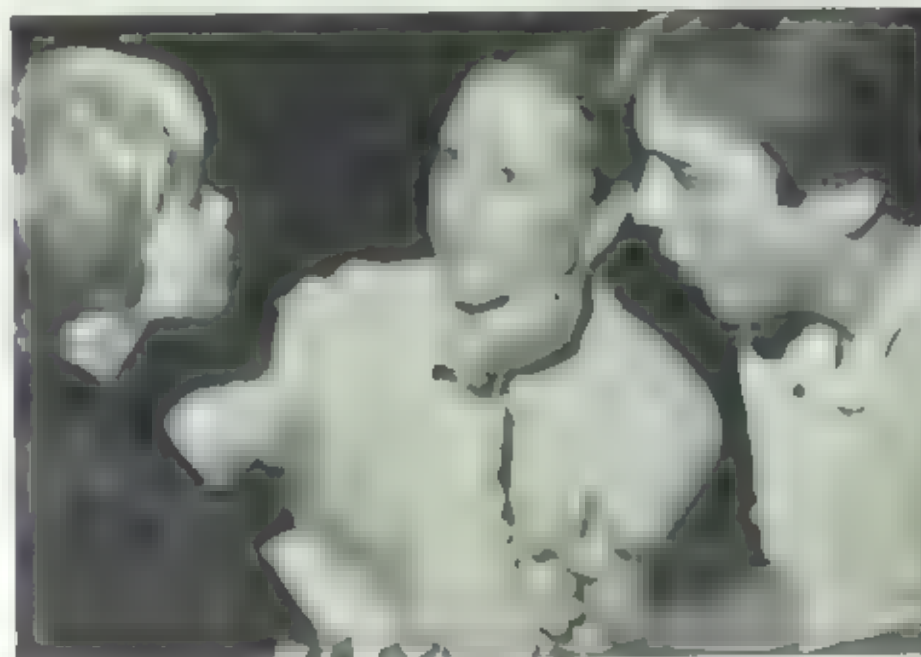
After the game we get much praise  
It would be great to have the raves,  
If only we got in on a few plays



## Helpers — making learning easier!



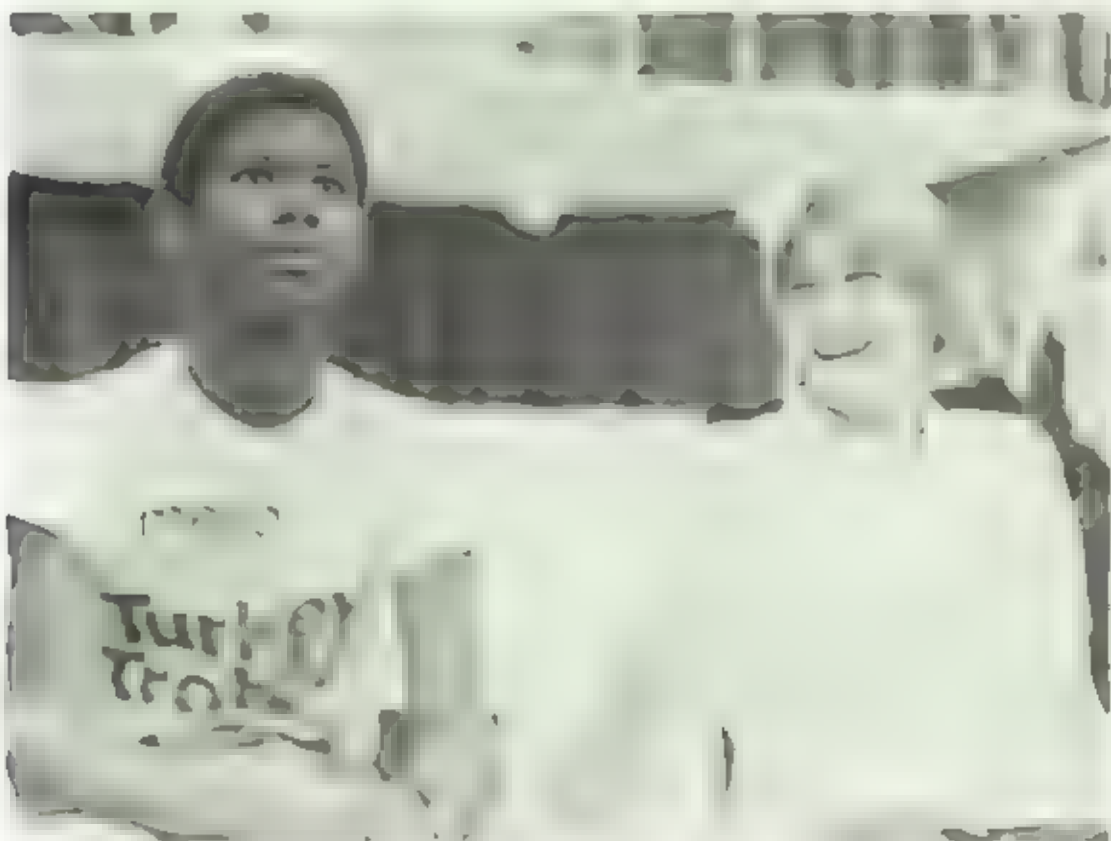
It's not as easy as it looks;  
Only 1 hand!



Odds  
'n  
Ends



# Things to Remember!



Gifford Nielson at the Sports Banquet.

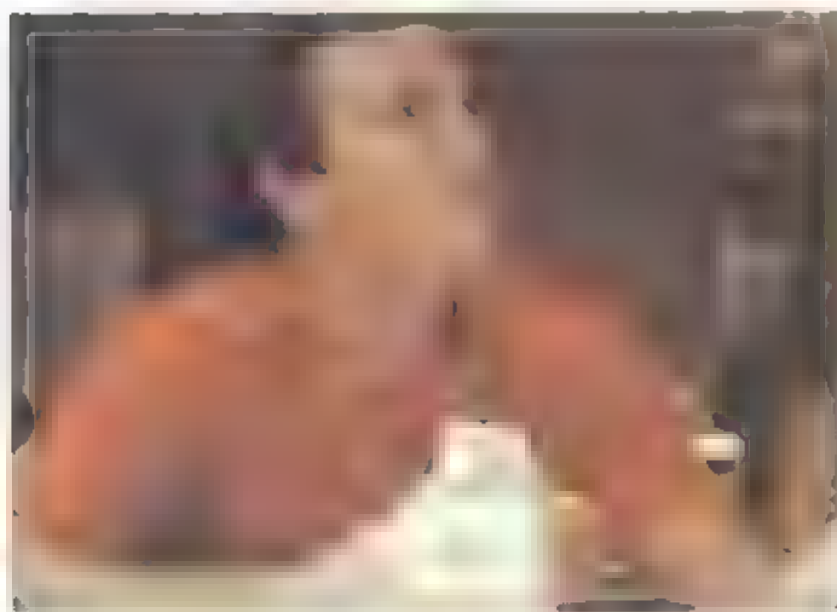
Talent Show rehearsal.

The "come apart" body in Science.

Washing basketball socks



YOU DON'T HAVE TO ASK THE SCORE!



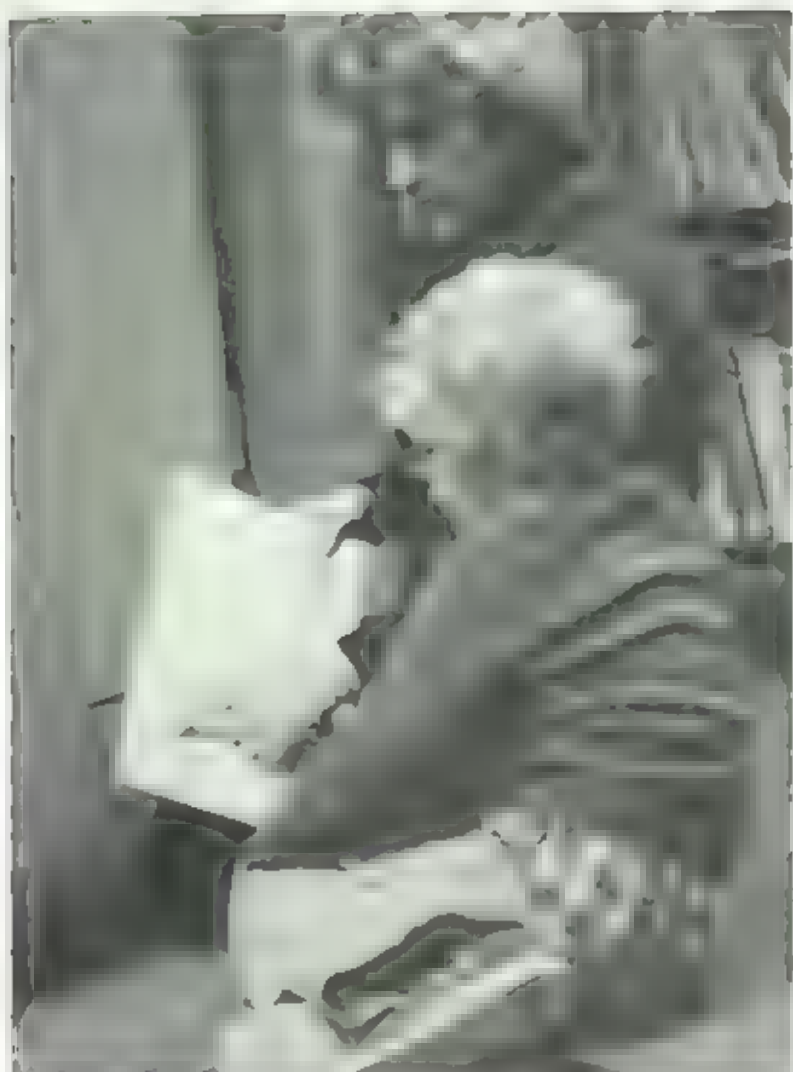


"You've got to eat to run"  
Lunchbreak — Delmar Stadium



LAST MINUTE INSTRUCTIONS  
Varsity Basketball





With great appreciation  
to

**Grace Malone**

for her photographic  
contributions  
The VEREDUS staff

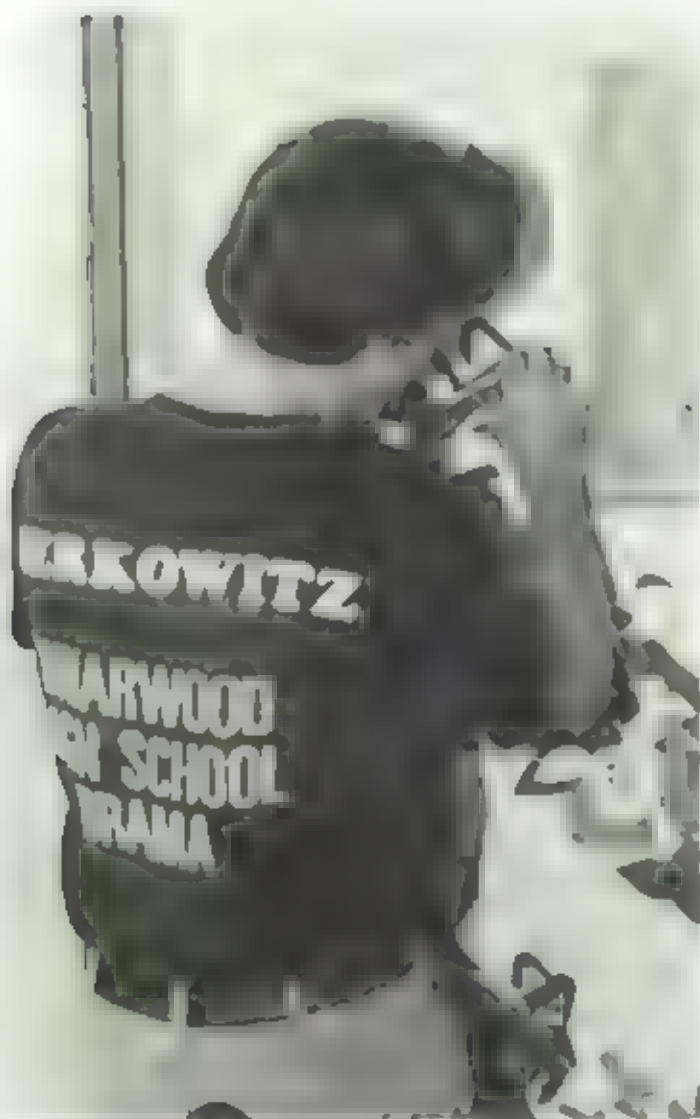




## Christmas Door Decoration Contest



In December 1980 Briarwood had its first annual Christmas Door Decorating Contest. Mrs. Soland's typing classes had a Christmas tree decorated with typing keys and a tape playing finger drills to the tune of "The Twelve Days of Christmas". Mrs. Woelfel's Senior girls had a house decorated with pictures of the girls on Santa's knee (see Judi Zastrow and Cathleen Coogan below). Each homeroom worked to make its door the best. Below Peter Berkowitz works on Mrs. Lasater's door. Victoria Waller and Anna Lucci put the finishing touches on their door.



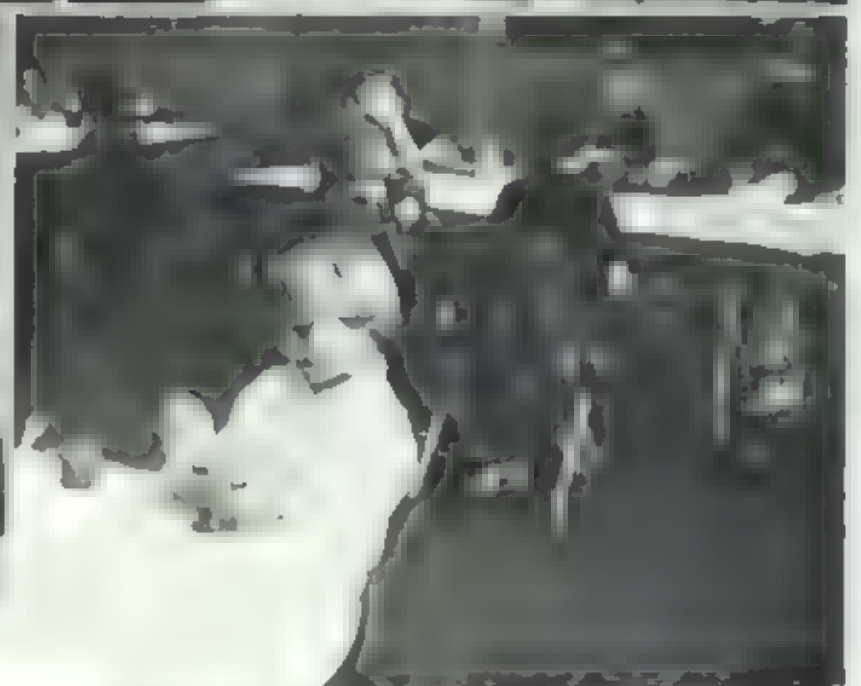
too many pictures



too  
few  
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oh  
well!



# Creative Writing Awards

## Lower School



Mrs. Roberts applauds while Mrs. Ramsey reads winner's names.

Winners show off their trophies.



John Reed, Christopher Gipson, Carl Peterson, Glenn Welsch, Mark Perez, Jonathan O'Der

# Sixth Grade

April  
Foster



April  
Hart



Sharon  
Kerr



Courtney  
Knapik

April  
Lynn



Andrew  
Norwood



The 1980-81 Graduating Class from Bearwood Elementary School would like to thank all who have our year so good.

We have done many exciting and interesting activities this year. We had the opportunity to ride down the Ship Channel in a boat.

We also had papers out on the path to M. D. Anderson Hospital. It was a very exciting experience. Also, in our study of the body, we went to the Museum of Natural Science, had a doctor



# Mrs. Root

Smith



M...



Chad  
Weber



Jennifer

Young



Root



come to speak to us at school and I made several projects. We also met Herman the skull.  
During our study of the weather we went to Channe 11 and spent an afternoon with Tom Sier.  
Throughout this year we visited several classmates' homes and I made lifelong friends.  
It has been a great year and we all are looking forward to next year.

Sixth Grade '81

# Mrs. Feigin's

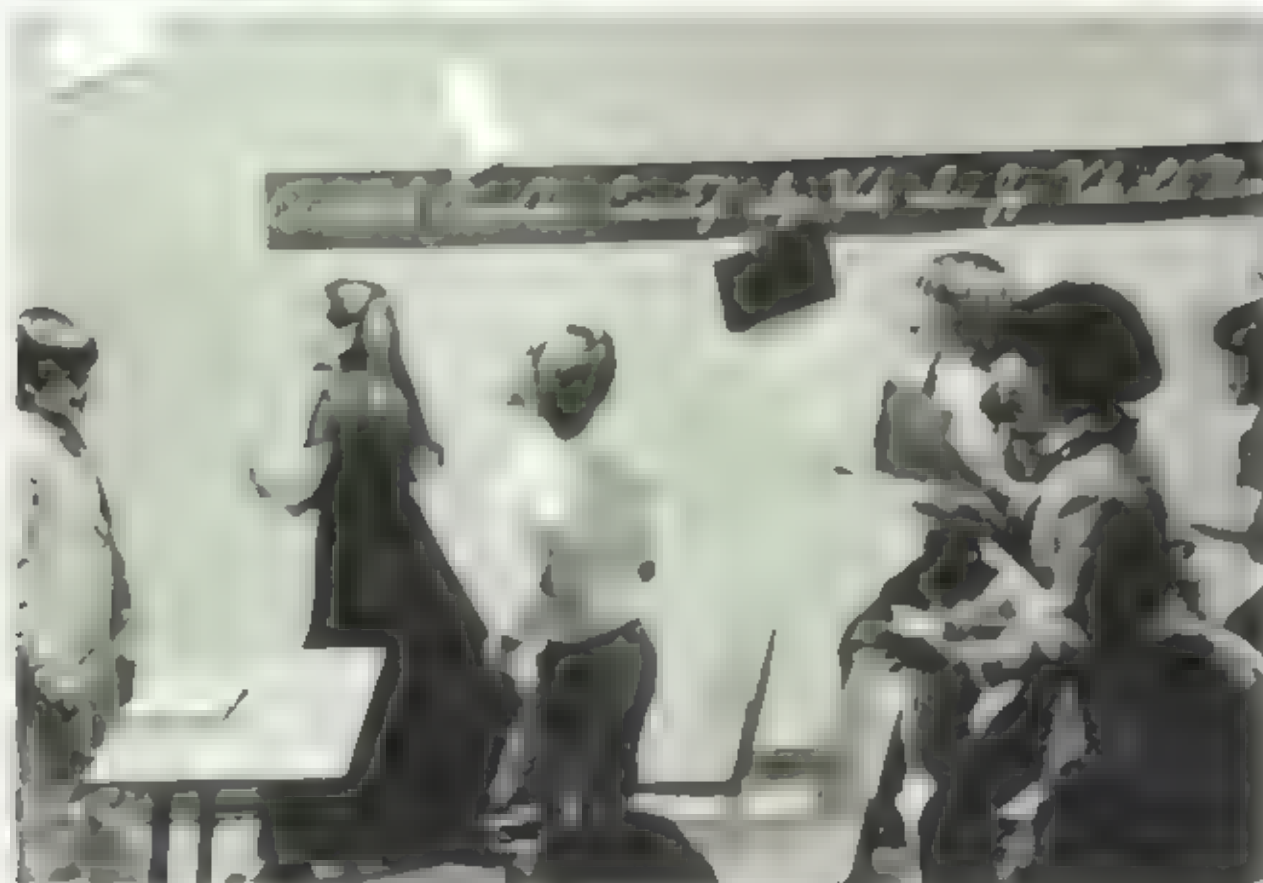


Teacher Mrs. Feigin

Back Row: [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name], [Name]  
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# Class

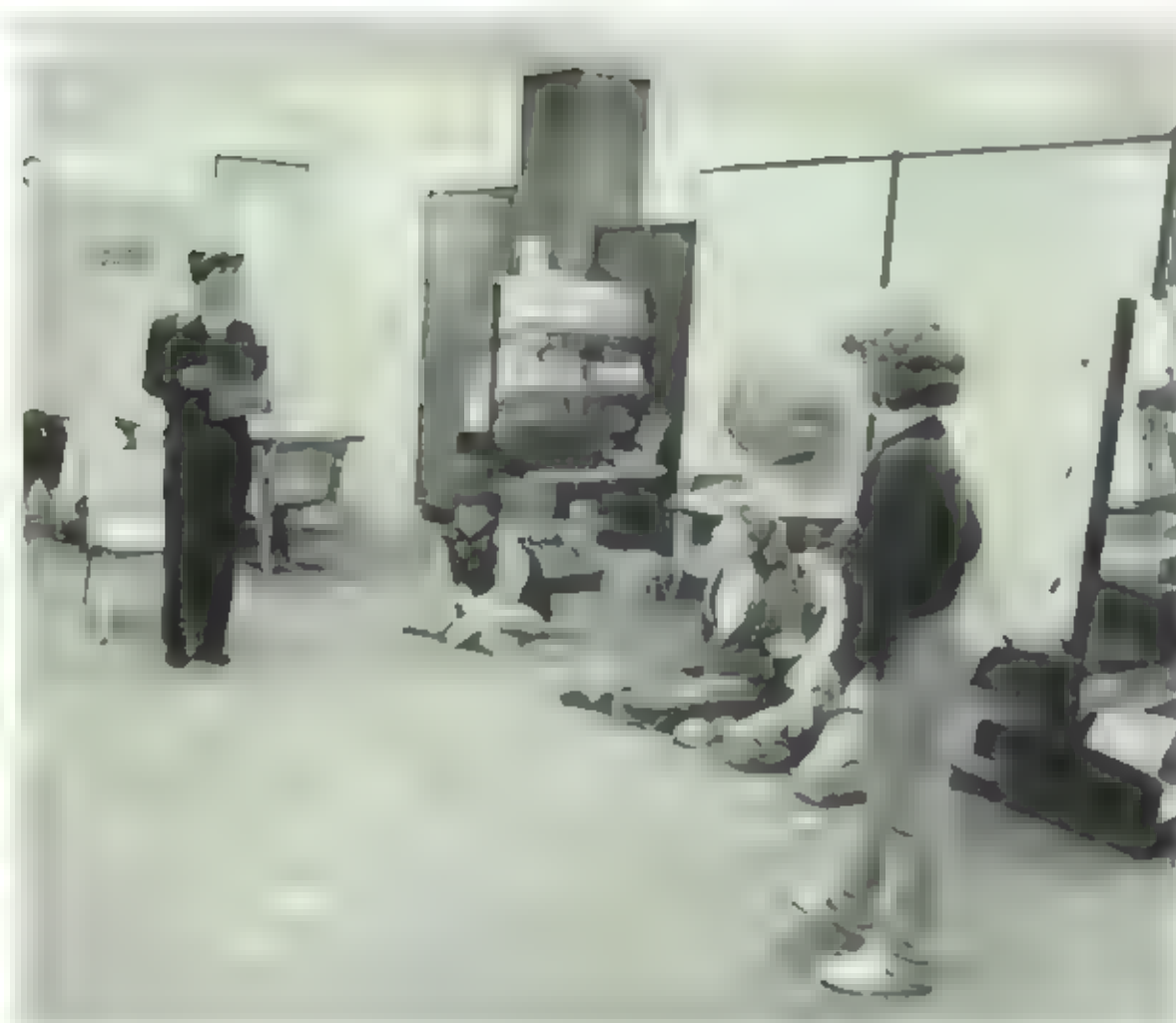
Classroom scene



Mathematics

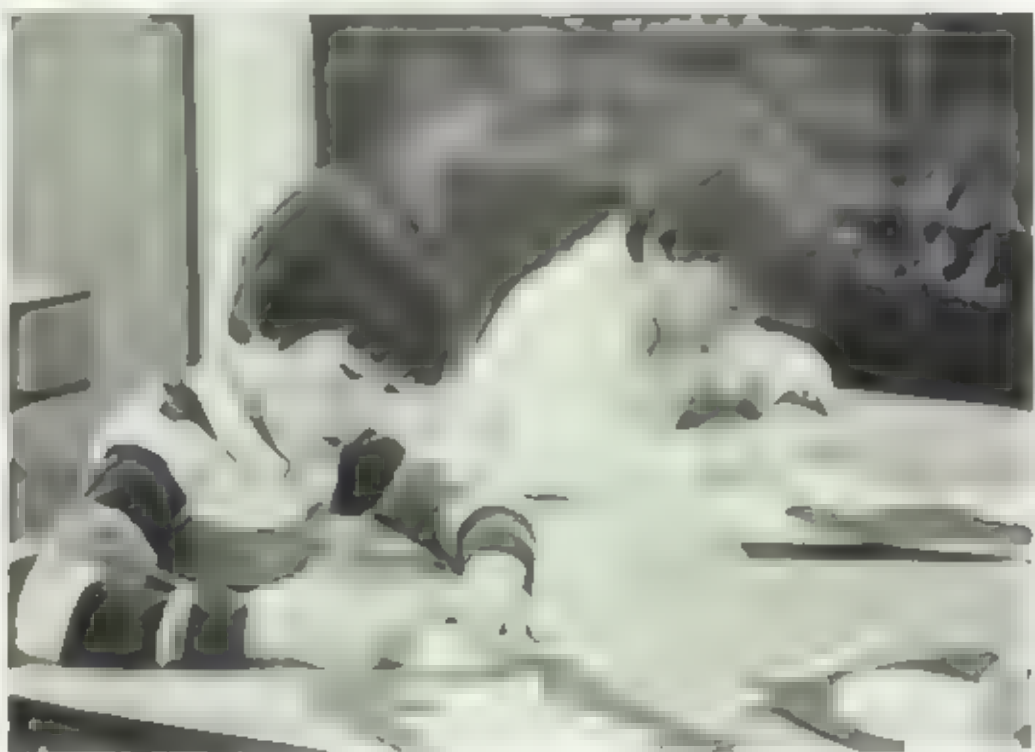


# Mrs. Marshall's Class



Four Mrs. Marshall's Class  
from 1911-12





Lower  
School  
Scenes

## Mrs. Levi's Class



Teacher Mrs. Levi  
Back Row: John Terry, Kay H., J. A. Taylor, Amy K., L. V., and R. J.  
Front Row: John Terry, Kay H., J. A. Taylor, Amy K., L. V., and R. J.



## Miss Williams' Class



Teacher Miss Williams  
 Back Row: Nancy Nichols, Mary Ann Nichols, Miss Williams, Linda  
 Front Row: Mary Ann Nichols, Linda Nichols, Mary Ann Nichols, Linda Nichols





## Mrs. Carreker's Class

[illegible]



music with friends

# Mrs. Thome's Class



Teacher: Mrs. Mary Thome  
Back Row: Don, Paul, Matt, Jay, Mary, John, Tim  
Front Row: Lisa, Beth, Kelly, Kate, Theresa, Lisa, Heidi, Amy



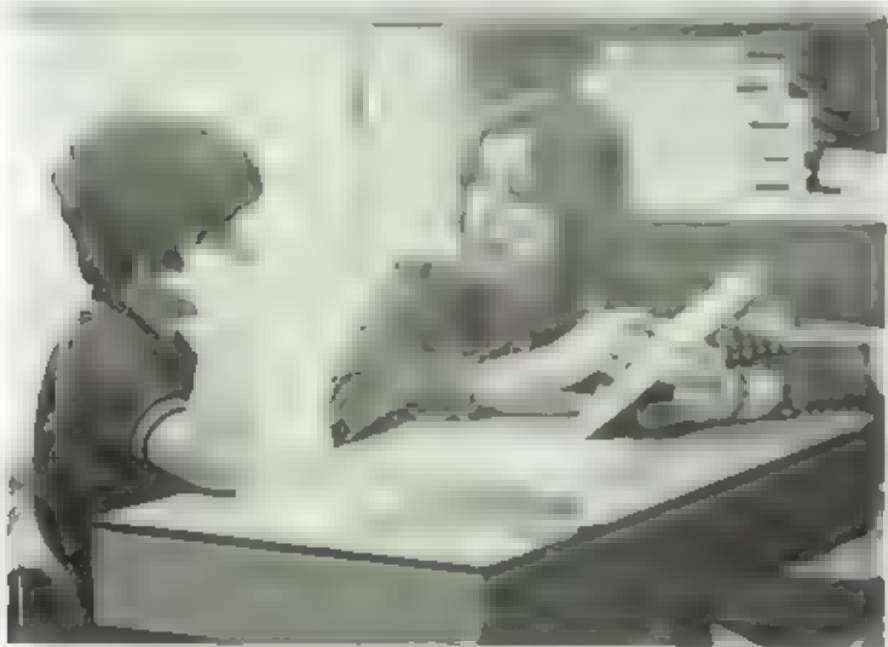


# Mrs. Mitchell's Class



Teacher Mrs. Frances Mitchell  
Back Row: Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. N. R. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell  
Front Row: Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell, Mrs. J. L. Mitchell





# Mrs. Brenner's Class



Teacher Mrs. Holly Brenner  
Back row: Patricia Thompson, Sonya Lopez, Andre Lehr  
Front row: William Clark, Bradley Brandt, Grant Rathburn, Sandra  
Hampson







More!





Teresa M. ...  
...



Erin ...  
M. ...  
...

Rodney Finger  
T. Harper  
ones

...



# Mrs. Berman's Class



# Mrs. Moody's Class



Teacher Mrs. Moody  
Back Row Mrs. Moody (far right) Mary, Grace, Sue, IF, Mary, K. W. S. I.  
Front Row Mary M. (far left) Mary, Sue, Mary, K. W. S. I.





and even

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Mrs. Youngblood Lower  
sub title





Miss Winter's  
Class



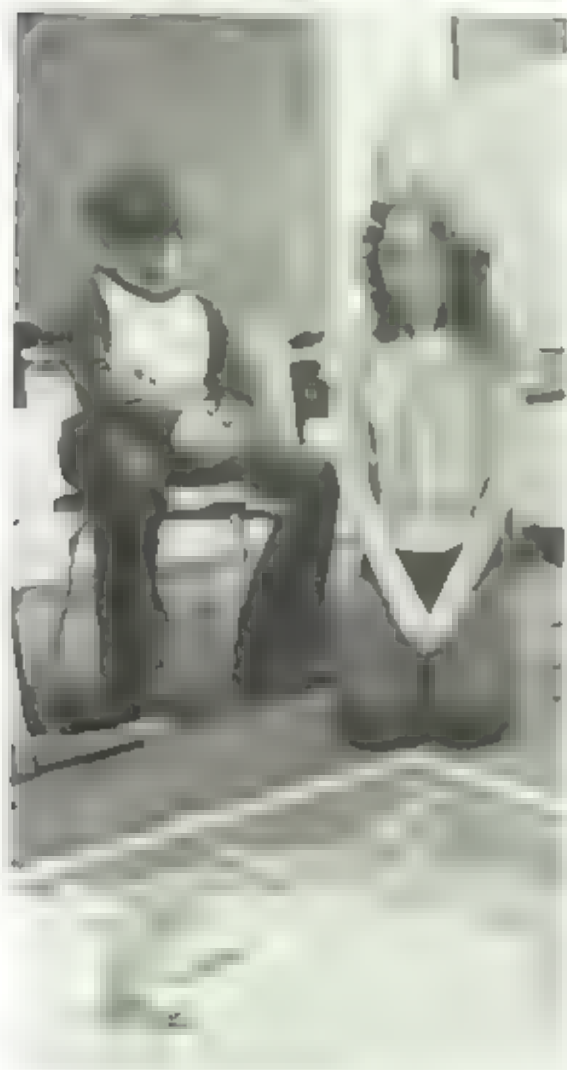


# Voc-Tech Mrs. Broussard's Class



Teacher Mrs. Kelly H. S. B.  
 A. L. Mrs. M. Broussard  
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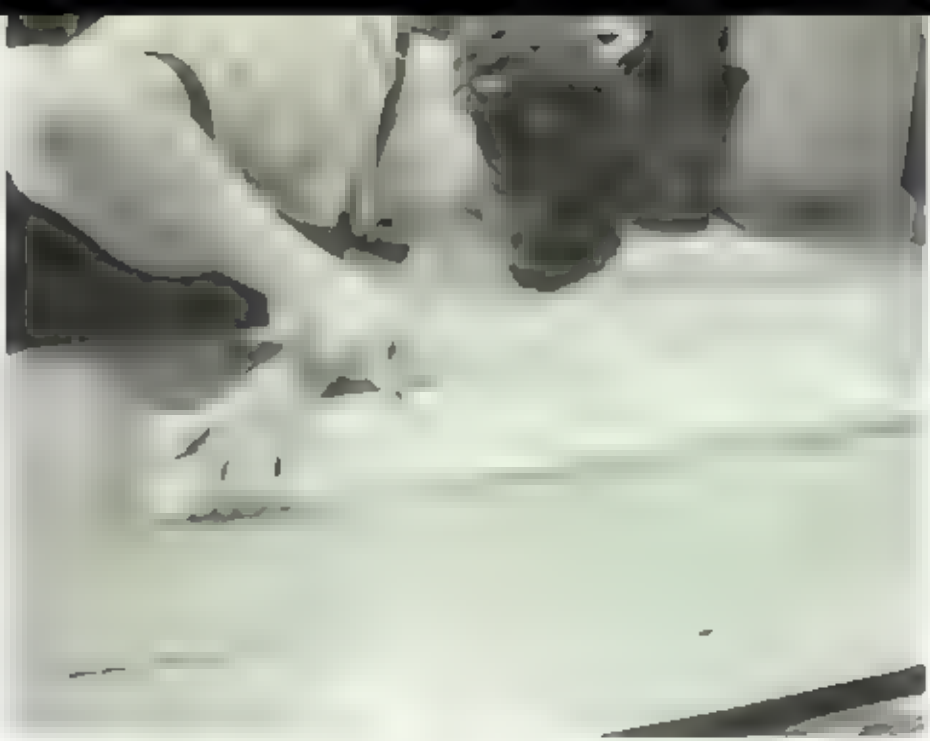
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# Voc -Tech







# THE MUSIC MAN

Directed by  
Barbara Lasater

Musical Direction  
by  
Chima Clanton







## Cast

### TRAVELING SALESMEN

Steve Aucoin, Peter Berkowitz, Pat Dunn; John Overly, Adam Rossen; Steve Tardy

### CHARLIE COWELL

Paul Dorn

### HAROLD HILL

Paul Lasater

### MAYOR SHINN

Pat Dunn

### MARCELLUS

Steve Aucoin

### MARIAN PAROO

Victoria Waller

### EULALIE MACKENZIE SHINN

Suzanne Skipton

### MRS. PAROO

Cindy Sengel

### ZANEETA

Tracey Smith

### TOMMY DJILAS

Peter Berkowitz

### WINTHROP PAROO

Erik O'Neill

### AMARYLLIS

Stacey Schafer

### CONSTABLE

Leon Tinde

### SCHOOL BOARD — "LIDA ROSE

Steve Tardy, John Overly  
Adam Rossen, Leon Tindel  
Steve Aucoin

### BOY'S BAND

Robert Armstrong, Rex Campbell, Wade Knight  
Mark Maule, Madison Powell, John Stephens  
Jonathan Thomas, Chris Voiek, Michael Zander

### TOWNSPEOPLE

Cathleen Coogan, Carol Ann Carmichael, Amanda Fly, Diane Marx, Jeff Byrnes

### WA TA YEE" — "GRECIAN URNS

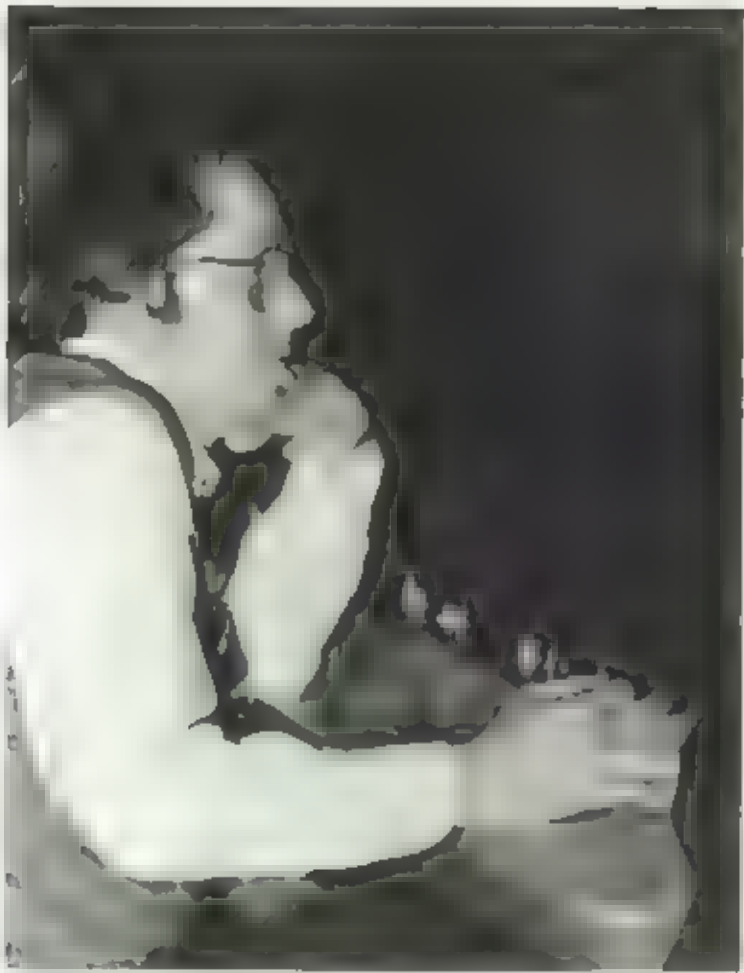
Suzanne Skipton, Tracey Smith, Stacey Schafer  
Cathleen Coogan, Carol Ann Carmichael, Amanda Fly, Diane Marx

## ADMINISTRATION



Above Mrs. Yeare Street and the person who gave off a street light as glass.  
Below Mrs. Cherry Mays is Assistant Captain  
Right Mrs. Rosemary Lacey Assistant Captain





This is a photograph of a woman who is smiling and looking towards the camera. She has dark, curly hair and is wearing a light-colored dress.

This is a photograph of a man with a mustache, wearing a light-colored shirt. He is smiling and looking towards the camera.



Top Gerry Whitmore  
Psychology

Second Row, Left to right  
Mark Lucio, History; Lor  
raine Luke Reading; Ann  
Prados, Library Reading



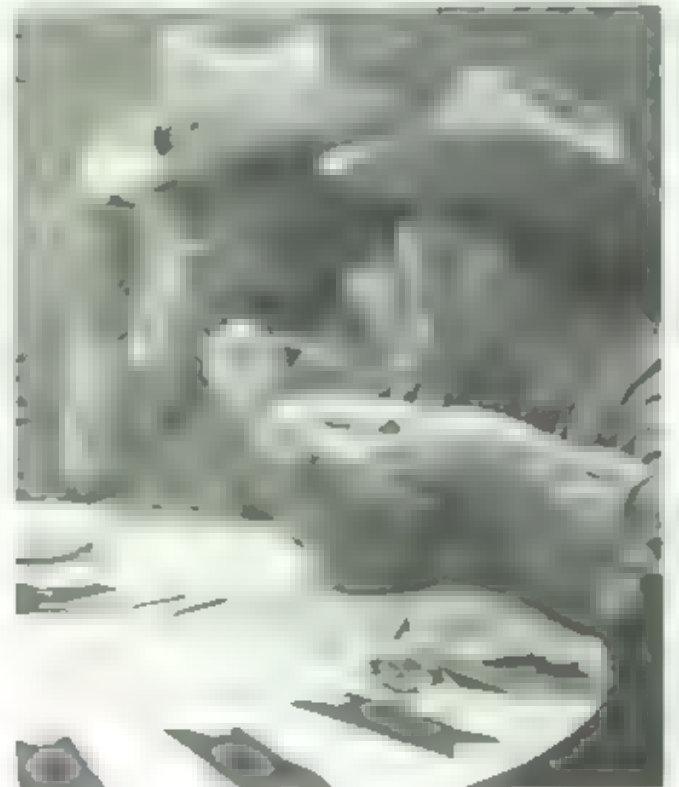
## Faculty



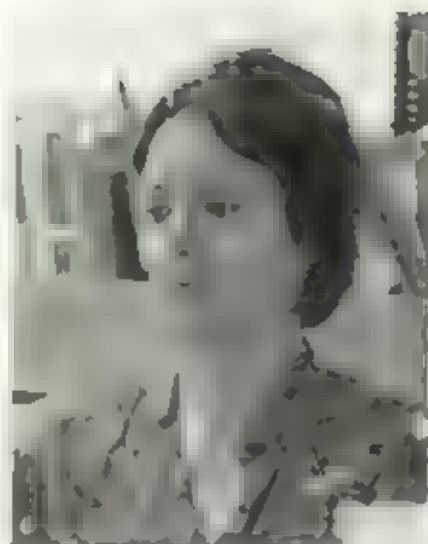
Above left to right: Renae Christianson  
Art, Photography, English  
Chris Kollenberg, Reading, Sylvia Garza  
Math

Lower row Earl Tyler, Shop, Math  
Stobie Whitmore, Athletic Director  
Nancy Budziszewski, Math

Athletics  
Far right: Vicki Smith Perception  
Carol Whitmore P.E.







Left to right: Sue Garwood, Science  
Barbara Lasater, English, Drama,  
Chima Clanton, English, Drama, Susan Malley, English



Left to right: Janet Greco, Home Economics, Economics  
Walter Sorenson, English, Health, P.E.; Marty Hedman,  
History



Above Marjorie Davidson English  
History



Top left to right: Roberta Albright  
Science; Betty Campbell, Art; Tom  
Jared, Shop  
Lower: Joyce Luke, Perception

# Voc-Tech Graduation



Top Graduates: Matthew, David, and Jeff with Mr. Street  
Left to right: Stephen, David, Tony, Adam, Ben, and Steve, and  
Right: Mrs. Peggy M. and her family.



Spring  
Prom



## 1981 Graduating class

*Larry Brand*

*Albert Cochran*

*Cathleen Coogan*

*Paul Dorn*

*Pat Dunn*

*David Endsley*

*Allison Kirby*

*Paul Lasater*

*Scott Phillips*

*Brian Price*

*Taylor Russo*

*Becky Self*

*Leon Tindel*

*Judi Zastrow*





## Graduation





This picture suggests  
how we all feel at the end!

## Finis Veredus 81'

Allison Kirby, Managing Editor  
Bass Doughty, Manager  
Cathleen Coogan  
Paul Dorn  
Mike Andrews  
Kevin Stromatt  
Kevin Kellaway  
(Special effects on this page — Kevin Stromatt)

Doug Eldridge  
David Ashton  
Blake McLendon  
Robert King







Everyone has the right to learn.

